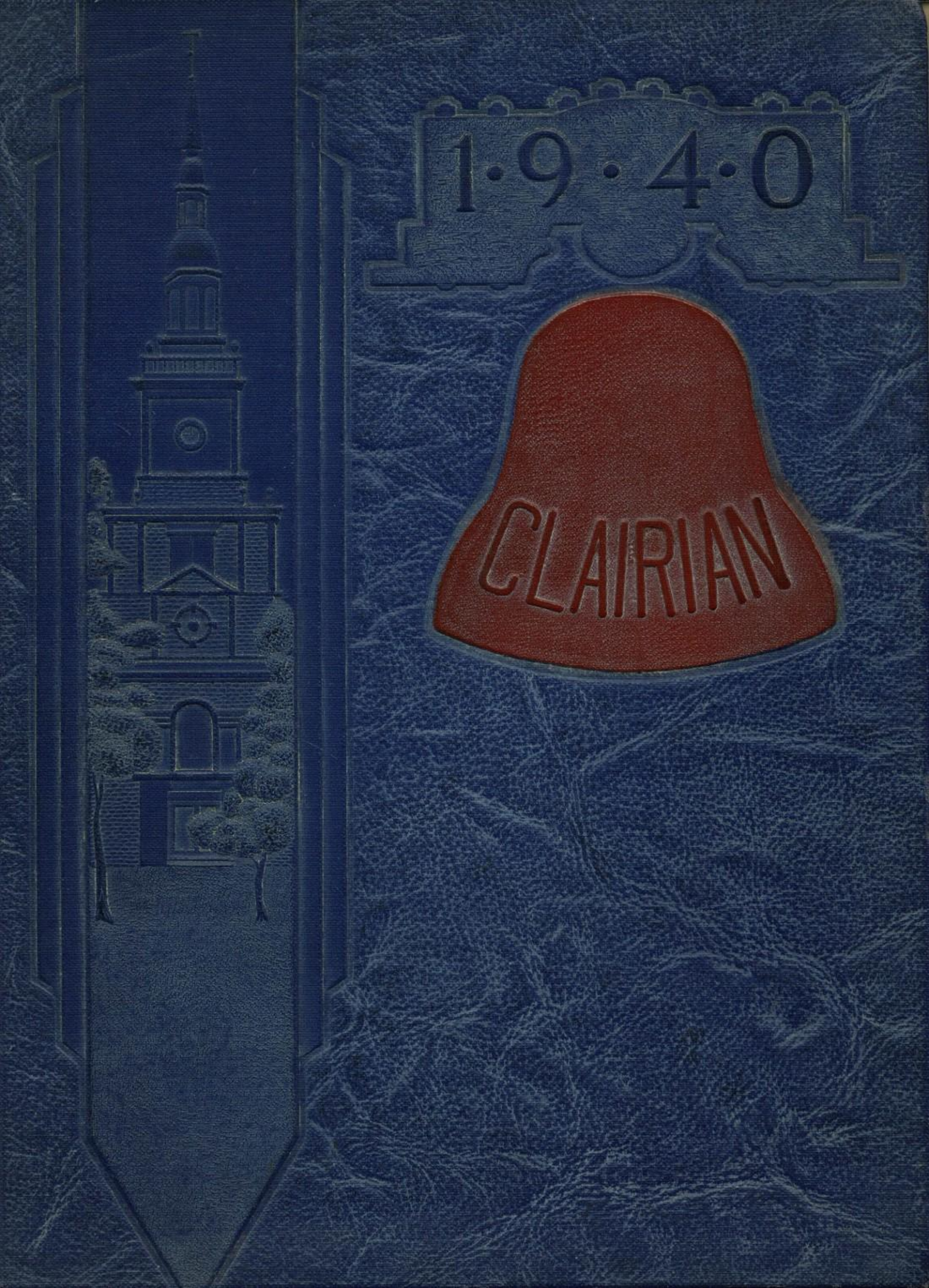
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CLAIRIAN

Isabelle Little
Sec. 11 D. "41"

Hiyah Babe!

I've had some good times this year & I hope they continue in years to come. Gee! we had swell times in our home room especially with the teacher.

To one of the hardest workers in the school nothing could be wished for her but the best. By the looks of things I know your ambition in life will be attained. Of course, everyone knows it is to be a housewife with a dozen brats hanging on your apron strings. Dont bring them up on "whiskey bottles" (I mean milk bottles - Grade A).

Always remember the good times we have had in & during our classes never worrying just making the best of it. I hope you don't go "bootlegging" with "Charley" when you get married. I guess that's not far off. If he gets you he will know that he has a good "wife" because you are an "earnest worker."

Wherever you are always think of me
Also consider me as a link in your
chain of Friendship.
The girl who always Kept Remember me as

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THE Clarian OF DEMOCRACY

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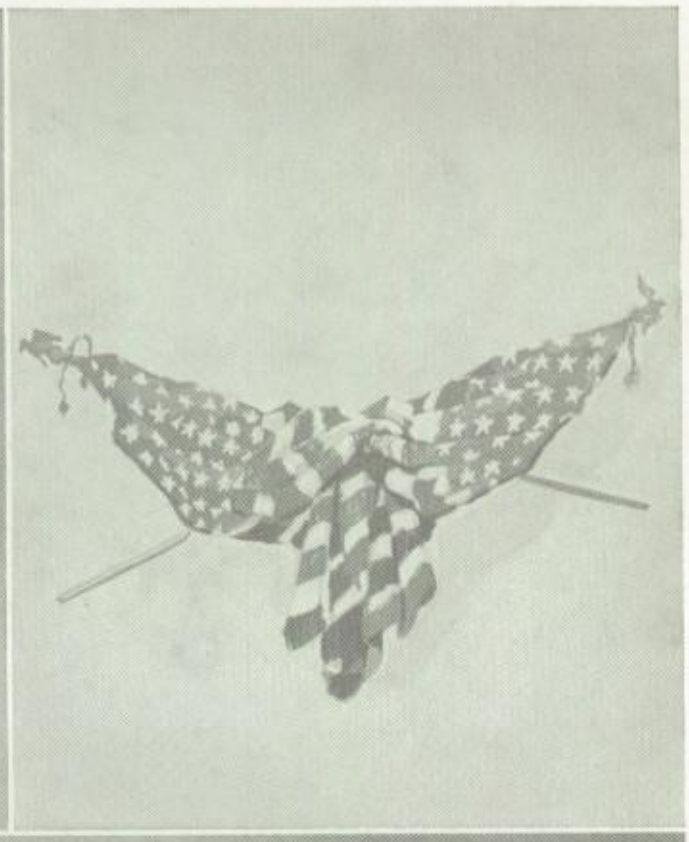
ST. CLAIR HIGH SCHOOL . ST. CLAIR, PA.

WE, the class of 1940, dedicate this volume of the Clairian to our advisors, Miss Phoebe Evans and Mr. Francis Welker. We bestow this honor upon them to express our sincere and heartfelt gratitude for their shrewd guidance and inspiring advice, which have aided us so valuably in the past four years.

Without their tireless efforts, which have kept the spirit of Democracy alive within our Class government, and their sober and sagacious counsel, we should have found it an arduous task to carry on the traditions of Saint Clair High School and to attain and to realize this milestone in our intellectual development.

Dedicated . . .

TO ADVISORS TRUE TO TH



PRINCIPLES OF DEMOCRACY

Our Heritage . . . AN

—Photos by John

WHAT IT HAS DONE FOR US

THE greatest glory of a free-born people is to transmit that freedom to their children.—Havard.

In order to really justify our inheritance we must put into practice the ideals handed down to us by our forefathers — those ideals upon which we have founded the basis of our democracy. Every American prides himself upon the fact that he is an integral part of the greatest government on the face of the earth. Forward we go with our precious ideals, holding high our lamp of liberty.

THE DEMOCRATIC SCHOOL

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THE PEOPLE

"Pupils are citizens of the school here and now with rights, duties, privileges and obligations."

★

THE ATHLETICS

"The school aims to develop skill in one or more sports to create abiding interest and provide an enjoyable form of recreation in later life."

★

EXTRA CURRICULAR

"Student activities is an elaboration upon the curricular program for the purpose of attaining a greater realization of the objectives of education."

Class Song

Tune: "A Kiss In the Dark" from Victor Herbert's "Orange Blossoms"

Words by Carol Rhoads, Kathleen Monahan, and Muriel Gray

Now our work with you is done
Dear old Saint Clair High
The Parting time for us has come
So we say good-bye.
Our chosen paths lead us from you
Loyal Red and Blue
But the years we've spent with you
Ever we'll hold true.

The class of "40" bids farewell
On leaving you this day
To wend our way down life's pathway
With hopes and dreams come true
We will ne'er forget the joys
We have had and shared
Though we love you
We must leave—loyal Red and Blue.

As we enter life's fray
We'll remember the days
Spent with you, Alma Mater dear
And when dark clouds appear
We will shed ne'er a tear
But uphold your traditions true.

—Photos by John Smith

The People

Now more than ever before is our nation calling upon us for aid—the aid of an educated people to prove to the world that war has no victory, but that a peaceful and progressive world is, by far, more victorious for us and for our posterity.

Peter McCarthy — Erroll T. Jones, M.D.
John J. Jacoby — Claude Rhoads
Clarence Hagan — Chas. W. Delp, M.D.
Earle Heinbach

Administration

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We are greatly indebted to our School Board for the educational facilities which they have placed at our disposal. The members of this board have steadfastly devoted time and energy to making our High School outstanding in scholastic and athletic attainments. Because of this, the Class of 1940 wishes to acknowledge an enormous debt, and offers to their benefactors heartfelt and sincere appreciation for their cooperation and tireless efforts.

UPHOLDS PRINCIPLES OF DEMOCRACY

MR. CHARLES R. BIRCH, our superintendent, has done much for the advancement of the St. Clair School District. The progress of the schools under his guidance has been a steady growth, that is a credit to his administration. His interest in community projects as well as those directly concerned with the school has been for the building of character and citizenship in the student body.

The principal of our High School, Mr. Ellwood S. Bodenhorn, has won the respect and admiration of the entire student body, by his ready willingness to help in anything that concerns their welfare. He has given individual attention to the problems confronting each student, and his advice will go far in helping them confront the difficulties that they may encounter in life.

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Keystone State Teachers College, B.S., University of Pennsylvania.
English

IN THIS day and age, Democracy is something to be loved and guarded jealously. Abroad today are doctrines that deviate and degrade the fine principles of civilization. Modern Europe is confronted with bloodshed, fear, insecurity, hatred, distrust and terrorism. By circumstance or some shrewd ways and means, a few strong willed men hold power over millions of people and determine the future of their people and themselves by their actions. These same men are now fighting a new war for old reasons, changing the maps drastically, causing the people to flee across the face of the earth, and setting up new forms of government. These things could be avoided if people stopped being selfish

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MARY E. MONAHAN, B.S.
West Chester State Teachers College, St. Joseph's College, B.S., Columbia University.
English

ANNA T. QUIRIN
Beckley College, Grove City College.
Commercial Studies

and greedy. The sooner this is done, the sooner will order be restored to the world. As Seneca says, "The great felicity of life is to be without perturbation."

It is no wonder that we love, respect and protect our flag and for what it stands—purity, innocence, hardiness, valor, vigilance, perserverance and justice. The Declaration of Independence and the Constitution mean much to us because they provide for our enjoyment of freedom of speech, freedom of press and assembly, the right to petition, redress of grievances, and freedom of religion.

We, here in America, open our eyes in the morning on a world busy doing something about social diseases, housing, education, human labor

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Instrumental Music

and civil liberties. We are busy learning new jitterbug steps, going to football and baseball games, attempting to do something about man's inhumanity to man and furthering our education.

We wish to express our appreciation to the faculty for the cooperation and the deep and sincere interest they have taken in carrying out the principles of democracy. They have worked energetically so that we students might learn these principles in order to become more highly developed citizens.

Democracy's rays, soft and sure, are radiating the doctrines and teachings of our forefathers and warming the hearts of the people

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St. Joseph's College, A.B., Columbia University.

Latin

MARY D. THORN, B.Mus.

Combs College of Music, B.Mus.

Music Supervisor

who flee war-torn countries. As long as we shall work together, believing in ourselves and in the principles as embodied in our Constitution, we shall find the great secret of success.

"The purpose of democracy is so to organize society that each member may develop his personality primarily through activities designed for the well-being of his fellow members and of society as a whole. Consequently, education in a democracy, both within and without the school, should develop in each individual the knowledge, interests, ideals, habits, and powers whereby he will find his place and use that place to shape both himself and society toward nobler ends."

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Secretary, Superintendent's Office

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Back Row: Edward Fitz, Carl Adamcik, Russell Dashifsky. *Front Row:* John Williams.

Class of 1940

OFFICERS

President	Carl Adamcik
Vice President	Edward Fitz
Secretary	Russell Dashifsky
Treasurer	Jack Williams

Class Flower	*Class Colors*
Red Rose	Scarlet and Silver

Class Motto	*Advisors*
Today We Follow: Tomorrow We Lead	Miss Phoebe Evans Mr. Francis Welker

ENTERING THE TREADMILL OF DEMOCRACY

FOUR YEARS ago the class of 1940 entered Saint Clair High School with an enrollment of 132 members. At our first class meeting we chose the following students to guide us through the term: President, Elenore Kotch; Vice President, Albert Kazlauskus; Secretary-Treasurer, Jenny Ross.

In our second year we were well represented on the football, baseball, and basketball teams. We held a very successful doggie roast at Eagle Hill. The class officers for the Sophomore year were: President, John Brown; Vice President, Francis Gately; Secretary, Mary Gwynn; Treasurer, Mario Cherri.

The Junior Prom was the highlight of our Junior year, and was held during the Christmas season in the Public School Auditorium. A committee composed of representatives of the Freshman, Sophomore, Junior Classes, and of the faculty selected a class ring which will be used by all future classes. Class officers for the third term were: President, Elenore Kotch; Vice-President, Jack Williams; Secretary, Olga Havron; Treasurer, Edward Fitz.

The Washington Trip was uppermost in our minds during our Senior year. We held another doggie roast at Eagle Hill. In the latter part of the year we were occupied with the exciting preparations for graduation.

To a very capable factor in our student government and a very nice girl — Best wishes
Carl.

Seniors of 1940

CARL EDWARD ADAMCIK *"Carl"*

Due to his popularity and intelligence, Carl has been chosen president of the senior class. He is interested in hiking, stamp collecting and politics. He is an excellent math student and we know he'll succeed.

Academic Course; President of Student Council 4; Basketball 2; Prom Committee; Class President 4; Band 1-2-3.

DOROTHY FRANCES ADAMITIS *"Dot"*

"Dot" is interested in dogs, hikes, and all kinds of outdoor sports. Dot's cheery smile has won her many friends. We hope she will profit by her athletics and become a leading lady in sports.

Academic Course; Student Council 1-2-3; Cheerleader 2-3; Booster 1.

GEORGE JOSEPH BEACHER *"George"*

"Quiet" is the word that best describes George. He has taken the secretarial course and hopes to make his career doing this work. We wish him success in future years.

Commercial Course.

ELIZABETH BOBBER *"Betty"*

Betty is one of the few "redheads" of our class. She is a quiet but earnest worker, and has a host of friends. With her charming smile and cheerful disposition, we know success will follow.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4; Glee Club 4; Clairian Staff.

JOSEPH DANIEL BOTTO *"Boffo"*

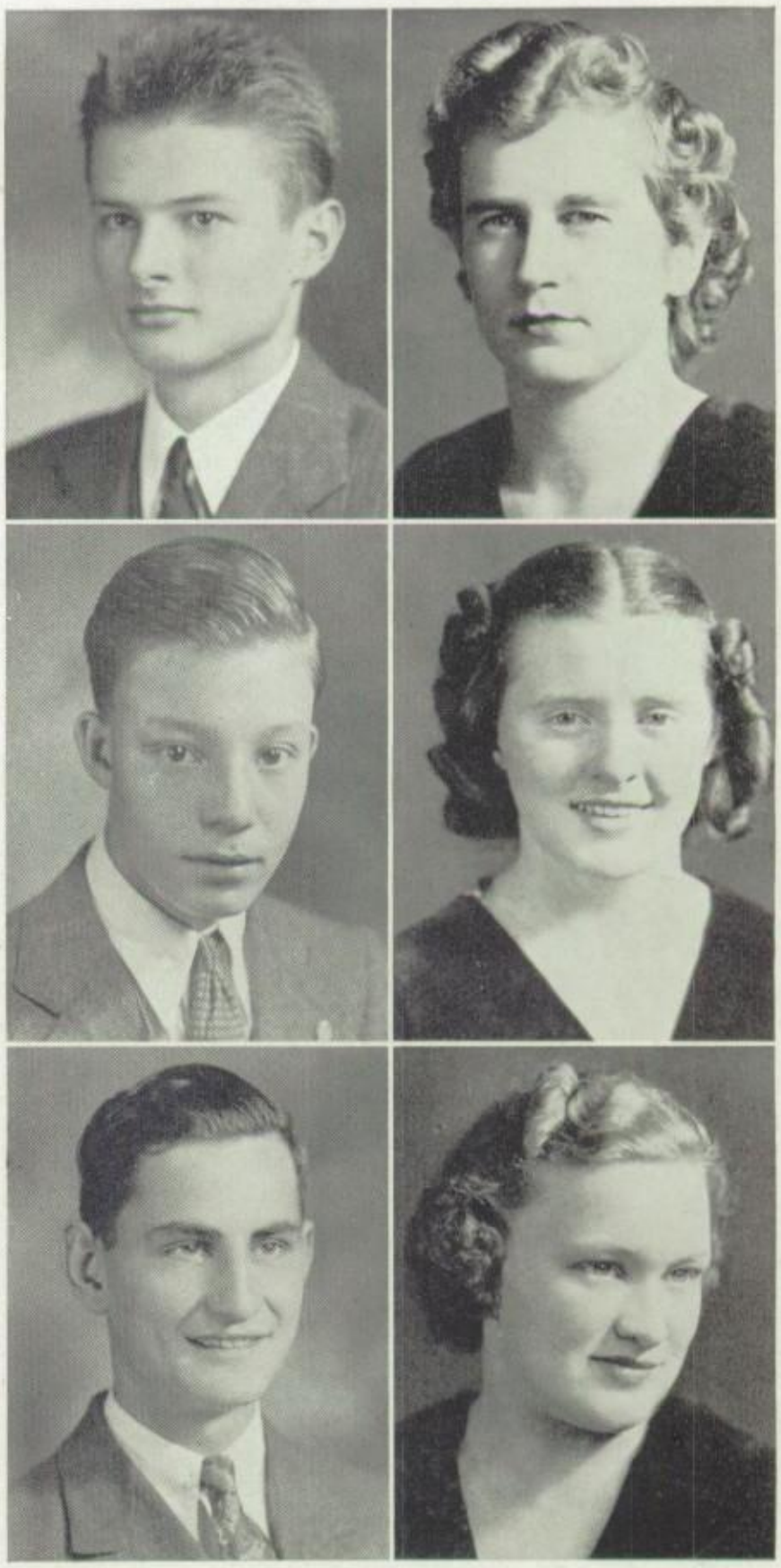
Joseph is full of fun and well liked. He is a sports fan and a popular dancer. If a good nature is a trait toward success, we know "Boffo" will succeed.

Academic Course; Clairian Staff.

HELEN A. BRADY *"Helen"*

Helen is always smiling and joking, yet she is a reserved sort of person. She loves hiking, dancing, and library work. We hope she will make good in future years.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4; Glee Club 1-2.



Carl Edward Adamcik — Dorothy Frances Adamitis
George Joseph Beacher — Elizabeth Bobber
Joseph Daniel Botto — Helen A. Brady

Seniors of 1940

Arline F. Brown
Emory Michael Carpency
Herman Chattin

John J. Brown
Susan Elizabeth Chalko
William C. Chermanski

ARLINE F. BROWN *"Arline"*

A very neat and efficient girl Arline is. She has taken the academic course with the idea of becoming a nurse. We hope she will be a "lady in white" within the future.

Academic Course; Glee Club 1-2; Prom Committee.

JOHN BROWN *"John"*

John is the quiet type of person, but he enjoys sports and has participated in football. He is an excellent, efficient and industrious student. We sincerely wish that happiness will accompany him along life's path.

Commercial Course; B. T. C.; Football 2-3-4; Prom Committee; President 3; Clairian Staff.

EMORY MICHAEL CARPENCY *"Emory"*

Emory belongs to that exclusive group who believes "Silence is Golden." He also obtains great pleasure from reading. His yearn for traveling should help him toward his ambition to become a salesman.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4; Associate Judge 3.

SUSAN CHALKO *"Sue"*

"Sue" is one of our shy members who does her work without any comments. She is well liked for her quiet disposition and sunny smile. We wish her success in all that she may undertake.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4.

HERMAN G. CHATTIN *"Hic"*

"Hic" is tall and broad of stature which is good proof for his great football ability. He enjoys the company of the opposite sex. We wish him the best of luck in everything he undertakes.

General Course; Football 3-4.

WILLIAM C. CHERMANSKI *"Chunker"*

"Chunker" is one of the foremost members of our football team, where his cooperation was one of the main factors for his success. We are certain this characteristic will reap a benefit in the future.

General Course; Football 1-2-3-4.

WILLIAM J. CHILDS *"Pee Wee"*

"Pee Wee's" wavy hair is the envy of all senior girls, and his pleasant disposition and winning smile have made him a favorite of everyone. We are sure he will succeed in whatever he undertakes.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 3-4; Prom Committee.

MARY M. CONLEN *"Red"*

Mary is one of our cheerleaders. She takes part in our sports which have made her an outstanding member of our class. Her smile is noticed everywhere she goes. Here's lots of luck to Mary!

Commercial Course; Glee Club 1-2; Cheerleader 1-2-3-4; Gym Team.

MARK ADRIEN DAILEY *"Mark"*

Mark is a very industrious fellow, but enjoys fun in its place. He never annoys the teachers and behaves like a model student. Mark is satisfied with his present position as a "clerk."

Commercial Course; Prom Committee.

RUSSELL DASHIFSKY *"Russ"*

"Russ" is a handsome boy whom everyone admires. He enjoys walking among the hills and studying nature. We know that from our years together our capable class secretary will succeed in life.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 3-4; Secretary 4.

CHARLES DIKUN, JR. *"Dick"*

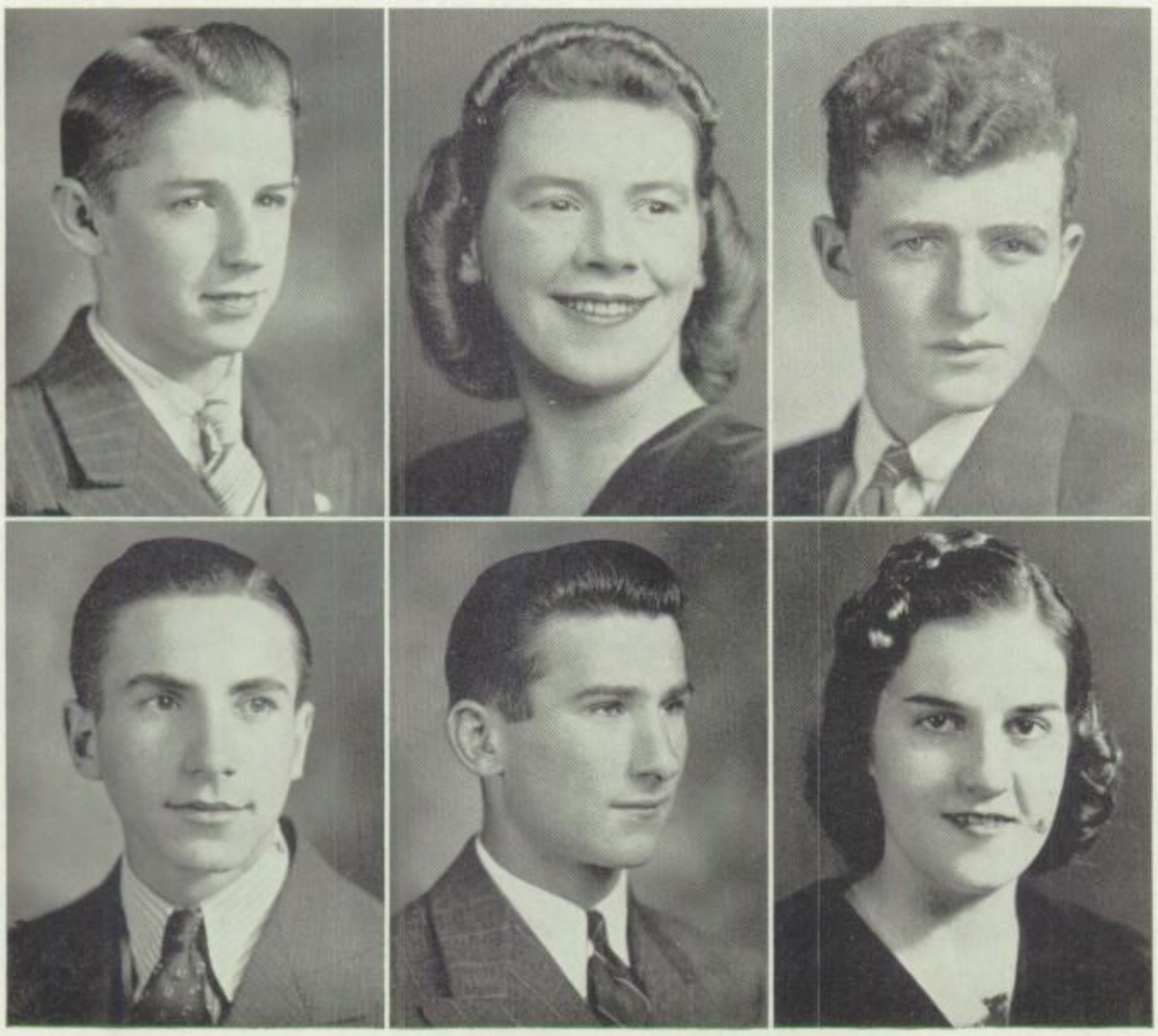
"Dick's" sunny smile never fails to spread good cheer. His good sense of humor has won him many friends. This athletically inclined chap is certain of success.

General Course; Football 1-2; Student Council 4.

KATHRYN E. DOYLE *"Kitty"*

A good student and a worthy friend, this quiet girl has made many friends. We admire the ease with which she does her work. It is certain that she will succeed in all her undertakings.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 3-4; Glee Club, Clairian Staff.



William J. Childs

Mary Conlen

Mark Adrien Dailey

Russell Dashifsky

Charles Dikun, Jr.

Kathryn E. Doyle

MICHAEL DRAOVITCH *"Drier"*

Michael is an energetic fellow whose greatest joy lies in working for the good of all. We owe many successful class activities to Mike's initiative. He well deserves our friendship and best wishes.

Academic Course; Baseball Manager 2-3-4; Prom Committee.

JOHN F. ELENCHIN *"Pop"*

Our class is justly proud of this athletic hero. He has proved himself equally capable upon the baseball field and upon the basketball floor. If popularity is a measure of success, "Pop" need never worry.

General Course; Basketball 2-3-4; Baseball 2-3-4.

MARY JANE EVANS *"Ev"*

"Ev" hails from Mill Creek, and is a loyal school supporter. She always has a cheery smile for everyone, and we know that this will prove of great value to her in the future.

Commercial Course.

EDWARD M. FITZ *"Ed"*

"Ed" is very popular among his classmates. His real interest lies in mechanics. His sharp wit and keen thinking facilities should prove to be great assets in helping him attain his goal.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 3-4; Clairian Staff; Treasurer 3; Vice President 4; Band 1.

PETER H. FITZ *"Pete"*

"Pete" is a quiet and unassuming individual. He spent time concentrating on his academic studies, and results indicate that it has been time well spent. The brightness of his eyes mirror the joy of success.

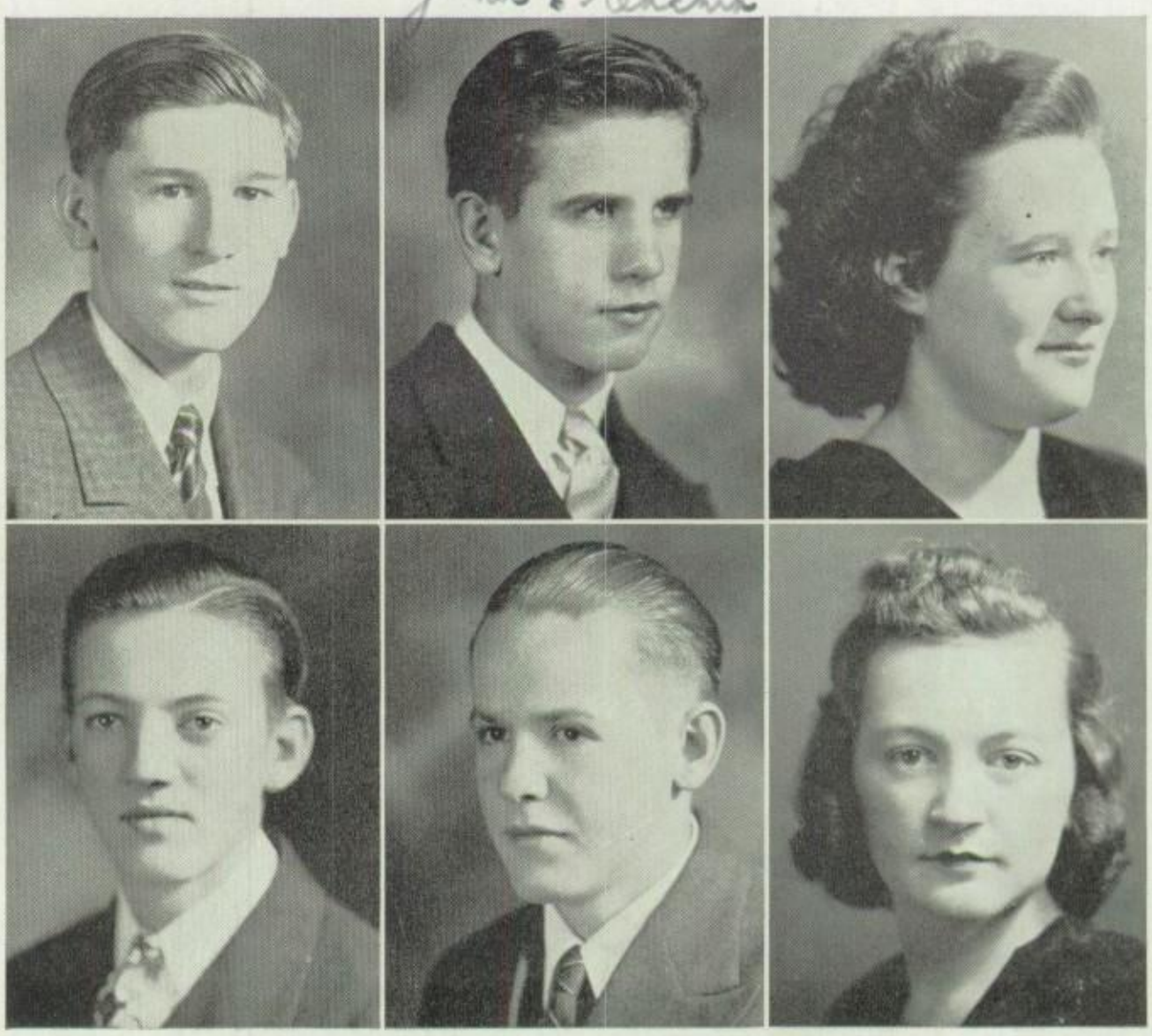
Academic Course.

JOHANNA T. FLANAGAN *"Flip"*

"Flip," one of the most popular students in the class, has made many friends during her years in high school. We know "Flip" will have luck in the future as she has always had.

General Course; Glee Club 1-2; Student Council 2-3; Clairian Staff; Treasurer 3.

Best Wishes to a hard working Junior.
John Elenchin



Michael Draovitch

John F. Elenchin

Mary Jane Evans

Edward M. Fitz

Peter H. Fitz

Johanna T. Flanagan

Seniors of 1940

DOROTHY DOLORES FRANTZ *"Dot"*

"Dot" is a member of the commercial class and some day may be an outstanding figure in business life, although she hasn't given us any definite information as to this fact.

Commercial Course.

ELIZABETH MARGARET FRANTZ *"Betty"*

"Betty" is an accomplished dancer, and is very active socially. She is an industrious commercial student and is preparing to go into a business career. Best of luck to her.

Commercial Course; Glee Club 1-2.

FRANCIS GATELY *"Mex"*

Francis has been a fine basketball player and an excellent student. He puts forth his best efforts in both class and on the court. The combination of "good player" and "willing worker" should bring success.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 4; Student Council 1-2; Basketball 3-4; Baseball 3-4; Gym Team 1; Clairian Staff; Booster Staff; Vice President 2.

ROBERT J. GEIGER *"Hobble"*

"Hobble" delights in teasing the fair sex, and his jovial spirit and carefree nature have won him many friends. However, he hasn't given us any ideas as to what his future work will be.

General Course.

JEANETTE E. GIEMZA *"Janet"*

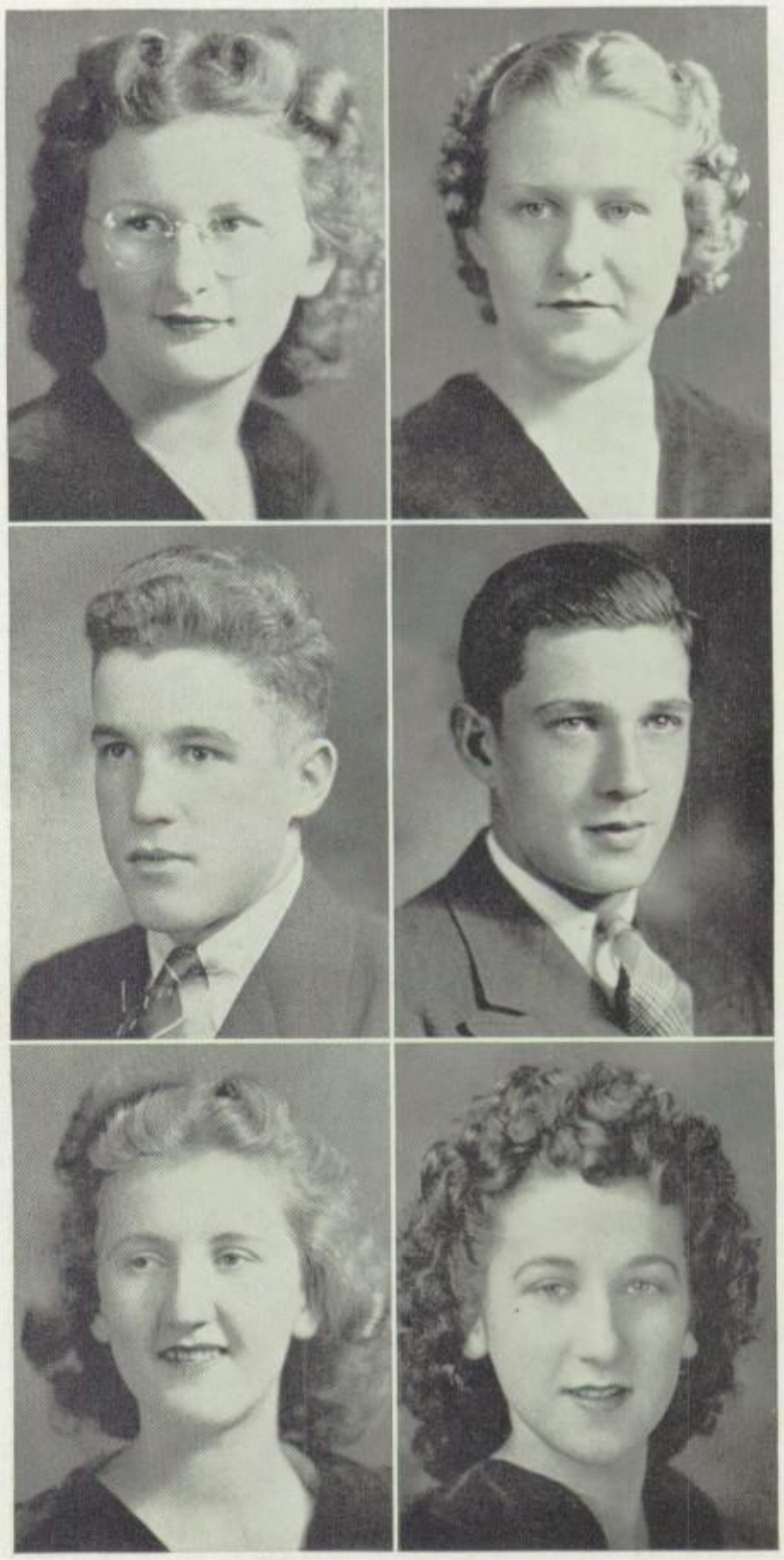
Janet's favorite pastimes are dancing and skating. Due to her personality, Janet cannot fail to acquire a position in the business world. The class of '40 wishes her the best of luck in the future.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4; Glee Club 1-4.

MILDRED MARIE GOGOTZ *"Millie"*

"Millie" is never found without a joke or a smile. Millie, though she has a long walk to school, always arrives on time. We know that her happy disposition will bring her success.

Academic Course; Glee Club 1-2-4; Prom Committee; Clairian Staff.



Dorothy Delores Frantz
Elizabeth Margaret Frantz
Francis J. Gately
Robert J. Geiger
Jeanette E. Giemza
Mildred Marie Gogotz

Seniors of 1940

Nancy J. Grace
Michael M. Granilla
Jeannette T. Hale

Robert Gracely
Muriel M. Gray
Leo Halkovich

NANCY J. GRACE *"Nance"*

The words of an old song "Sweet Is The Word For You" could very readily be used to describe "Nance." May she charm her worldly colleagues as she has her classmates.

Academic Course; Glee Club 1-2-4; Prom Committee.

ROBERT GRACELY *"Sigles"*

"Sigles" became a member of our class two years ago. His ambition is to become a football coach, and because of his record as an athlete we are sure he will attain his goal.

General Course; Student Council 4; Basketball 3; Baseball 3; Football 3-4.

MICHAEL M. GRANILLA *"Mike"*

Michael is one of the quiet boys of our class and seldom is he seen amidst noise and chatter. Although he is a busy worker, his amicable nature allows him to get along with everyone.

Academic Course.

MURIEL M. GRAY *"Mim"*

"Mim" can be distinguished by her glowing chestnut brown hair, twinkling blue eyes and a sunny disposition. Her ambition is to be a nurse, and we hope she is successful in this vocation.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi; Glee Club, Prom Committee; Clairian Staff.

JEANNETTE T. HALE *"Jan"*

"Beauty is a joy forever to behold." "Jan" has been blessed with the ever-envied combination of blonde hair, blue eyes, and a fair complexion. May life shed her best graces upon you, "Jan"!

Academic Course; Glee Club 1-2-4; Prom Committee.

LEO HALKOVICH *"Jake"*

Leo is one of our heroes. For two years he has shown us his exceptional football ability. "Jake" was also a member of our "Dream Game" squad. We hope he shows equal skill in life.

Academic Course; Football 3-4; Band 1-2.

MARY L. HALOVIAK *"Mary"*

Mary possesses the qualities most admirable in a secretary. She has ability, charm and poise, assets in any field. Her few well-chosen friends find her an interesting conversationalist as well as a ready listener.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4; Clairian Staff.

CATHERINE D. HARRISON *"Cassie"*

This small slim lass is capable of making many friends. She is a lover of dancing and also an ardent baseball fan. We hope the future is full of success and happiness for her.

General Course; Glee Club 1-2.

JOHN WILLIAM HASLAM *"John"*

John is very seldom heard from, especially in school. He prefers to listen and scarcely voices his opinion in a discussion. His quiet manner has reserved him a place in the respect of his classmates.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 3-4.

NATALIE F. HAVERTY *"Nat"*

A popular girl of our class, Natalie is usually seen in groups composed of both sexes. "Nat's" carefree nature is a disguise because she is really earnest, and hopes to enter the field of nursing.

Academic Course; Glee Club 1-2-4.

OLGA HAVRON *"Olga"*

Flashing eyes and gay laughter distinguish Olga, a fun-loving girl, who has won many friends. She has taken active part in class activities, and we are certain her sunny disposition will bring her success.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 3-4; Glee Club 1-2-4; Prom Committee; Clairian Staff; Class Secretary 3.

STEPHEN HEBER *"Steve"*

One of the more retiring of boys, Steve has little to say. He usually allows others to do the talking, in order to avoid trouble. Steve is admired greatly by all his friends.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4.

Mary L. Haloviak

Catherine D. Harrison

John William Haslam

Natalie F. Haverty

Olga Havron

Stephen Heber

RUTH R. HEINBACH *"Heiny"*

Ruth is an industrious worker which her list of activities proves. She is one of our most popular classmates. She enjoys singing and dancing. Ruth's ambition is to become a nurse.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 3-4; Glee Club 1-2-4; Prom Committee; Editor of Clairian.

IONE M. HILLMAN *"Jo"*

Ione, one of the tiny and quiet members of our class, is an industrious worker, who always takes her studies seriously. Although she has a long trot from New Castle, she makes it regularly.

Commercial Course; Glee Club 1-2; B. T. C. 3-4.

PAUL HONAS *"Paul"*

Paul is one of the more reserved boys of our class. He has a time for work, and a time for pleasure. He has many well chosen friends who wish him great success.

General Course.

PAULINE MAE HUDAK *"Lena"*

"Lena" isn't as quiet as she seems to be. When she is in the right company her jolly spirit becomes quite evident. Every morning Lena mails a letter. We wonder whom the letters are for.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4; Glee Club 1-2.

ROBERT JOHN HUGHES *"Bob"*

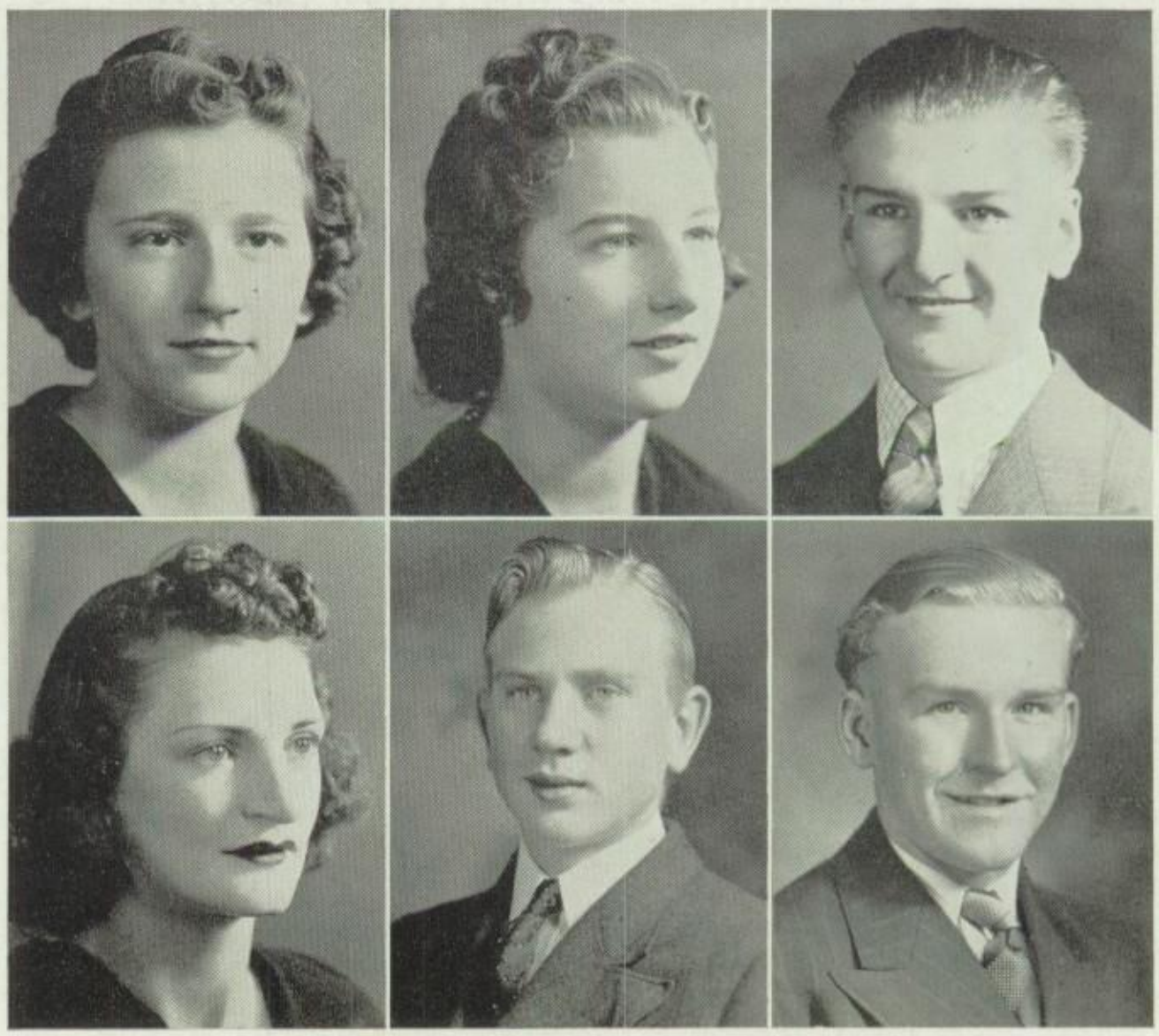
Bob's witty sayings and humorous actions have made our classes more pleasant. We hope in the future he can make as many excuses as he did in school and still succeed.

Academic Course; Prom Committee; Clairian Staff.

WILLIAM HUGHES *"Billy"*

Silence is the outstanding characteristic of Billy. In school he is seldom heard, but does his work quietly and diligently. He is popular among his school friends, and they wish him success in the future.

General Course.



Ruth R. Heinbach

Ione Hillman

Paul Honas

Pauline Mae Hudak

Robert John Hughes

William E. Hughes

Seniors of 1940

JOHN JALONSKI *"Johnny"*

John is very quiet in school, but out of it he is a jovial fellow. He is one of our best typists and we know he'll be successful in the commercial field.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4; Student Council 3; Clairian Staff.

ELIZABETH LOUISE JOHNS *"Betty"*

Betty is a vocalist and it is a real pleasure to hear her soft, soprano voice. She has a friendly disposition and a ready smile. Her ambition is to enter the field of nursing.

Academic Course; Glee Club 1-2-4; Gym Team 1-2; Prom Committee; Booster Staff 2.

MICHAEL KADINGO *"Kingo"*

When we met "Kingo" many of us were deceived by his shy and quiet manners. But after knowing him three years we find him a jolly fellow. He hasn't informed us of his future intentions.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4.

HELEN KOWALCHECK *"Helen"*

Tall, blond, with an outstanding personality, describes this happy-go-lucky classmate, Helen. Although we do not see much of Helen, we hope her future is filled with a bounteous supply of good fortune.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4; Clairian Staff.

JOE KAVOLCHYCK *"Joey"*

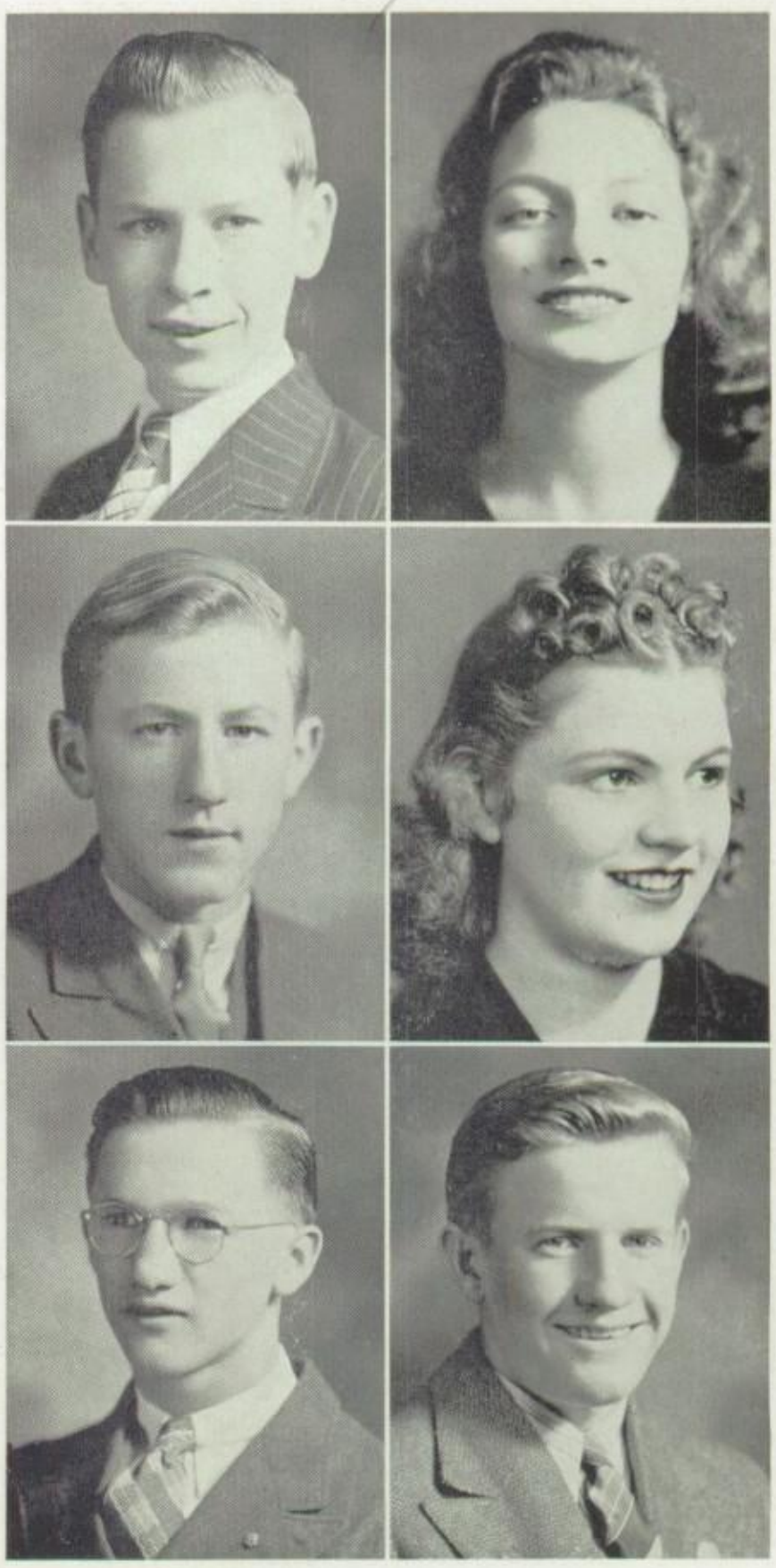
"Joey" is one of the smallest in our class, but what he lacks in stature he possesses in character. He is a sport-fan and fine mathematician. We know he'll succeed in all he undertakes.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 3-4.

ALBERT KAZLAUSKAS *"Kuz"*

Albert is an outstanding and industrious student. He is a talented musician. His ambition is to become an engineer. We hope his endeavors will prove as successful as his past ventures have been.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 3-4; Clairian Staff; Class President 1; Band and Orchestra 1-2-3-4.



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Michael P. Kadingo
Joe Kavolchyck

Elizabeth Louise Johns
Helen Kowalcheck
Albert Kazlauskas

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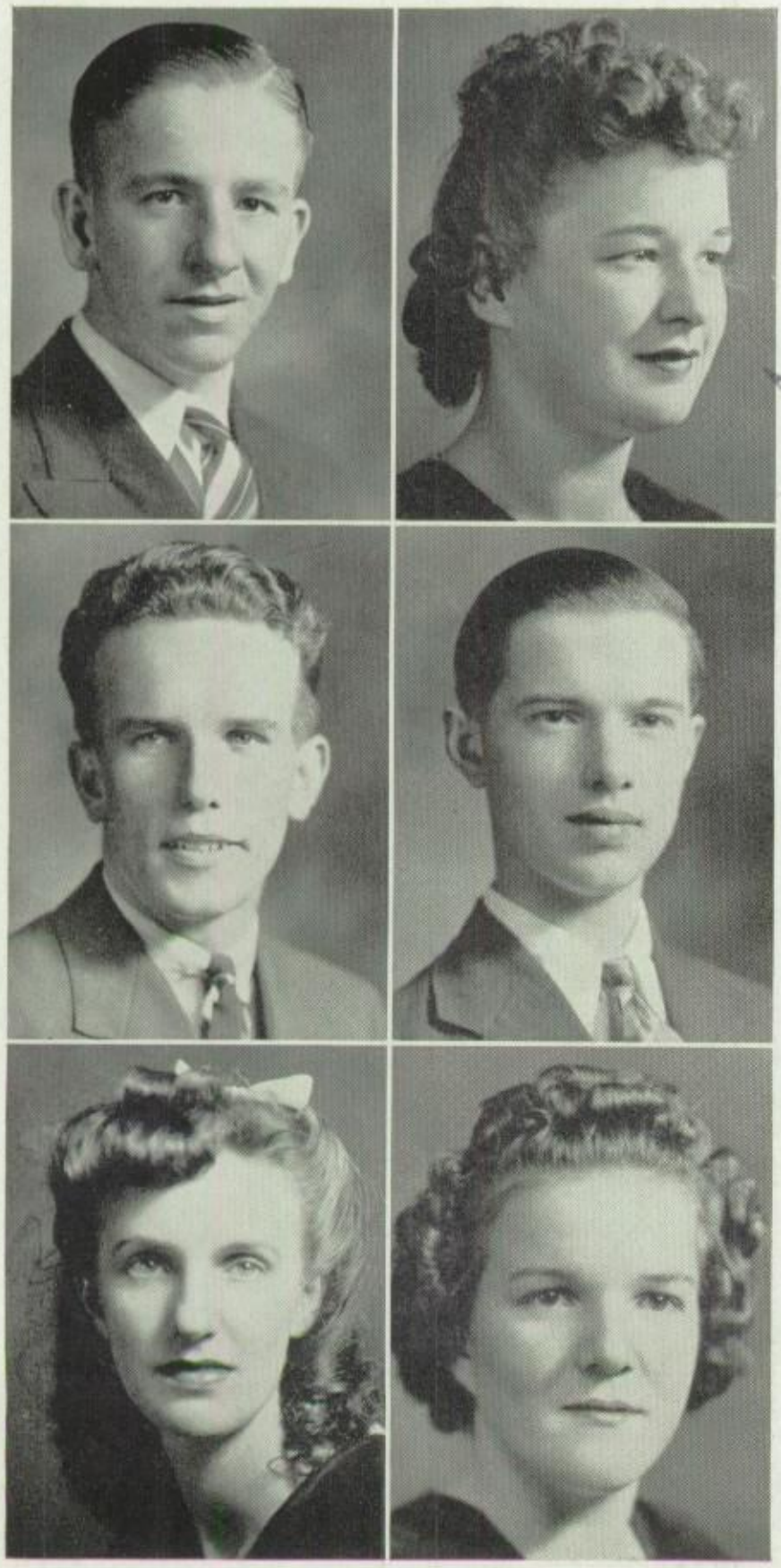


Claire Knight
Joseph Kormash
Elenore Kotch

Anna S. Kominetz
Paul David Kostrey
Helen Kotch

CLAIRE KNIGHT *"Bull"*

Claire's quiet disposition is admired by all. His hobby is studying nature. He has great ambitions of becoming a mechanic. Our class wishes him the best of luck in his chosen vocation.

Academic Course.

ANNA S. KOMINETZ *"Dimples"*

Dimples" is one of our jolly classmates. A shout and a giggle rings through the corridors and we all know it is "Dimples." Because of Ann's pleasing smile and personality we predict good fortune for her.

Academic Course; Glee Club 2-3-4; Clairian Staff.

JOSEPH KORMASH *"Joe"*

Joe holds in his possession a remarkable talent for both baseball and basketball. Whatever his vocation might be we hope it will be as successful as his sports have been.

Academic Course; Basketball 2-3-4; Baseball 2-3-4.

PAUL DAVID KOSTREY *"Paul"*

Paul has participated in the school band and orchestra during his entire high school career. Being shy and bashful accounts for his silent disposition, but this doesn't detract from his popularity.

Academic Course; Band and Orchestra 1-2-3-4.

ELENORE KOTCH *"Elenore"*

During our first two years we figured Elenore as a studious, home-loving type, but today she is a happy-go-lucky girl. With her charm and winning smile she has won the friendship of all.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 3-4; Glee Club 1-2-4; Prom Committee; Clairian Staff; President 1-3.

HELEN KOTCH *"Helen"*

Although we only met Helen in our sophomore year, she is a well-liked girl and has many friends. We, the class of '40, wish her the best of luck in the future.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4; Glee Club 2-4.

IRENE KOTUBEY *"Irene"*

"Irene" is a well-liked girl by all who know her. Her pastime is spent at dancing and skating. Her pleasant disposition will aid her in obtaining a great deal of success.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 3-4; Glee Club 1-2.

JOHN KOVACH *"Yonk"*

John is the "answer man" in the sports world, and this is due to the unusual interest he displays in sports. John's infectious good nature will always be an assurance of companionship and pleasant society.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 4.

MARIE KULL *"Patsy"*

"Patsy" is one of our most attractive girls. She has a sunny disposition and is popular with both sexes. Skating is her hobby. Her plans for the future are unknown, but we wish her luck.

General Course.

HELEN L. KURTZ *"Lol"*

Helen comes from Diener's Hill, and despite her long walk to school, she is always on time. She is very fond of tennis and an excellent student. Her traits point an arrow to success.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 3-4; Glee Club 1-2; Clairian Staff.

IRENE KUZMA *"Kuz"*

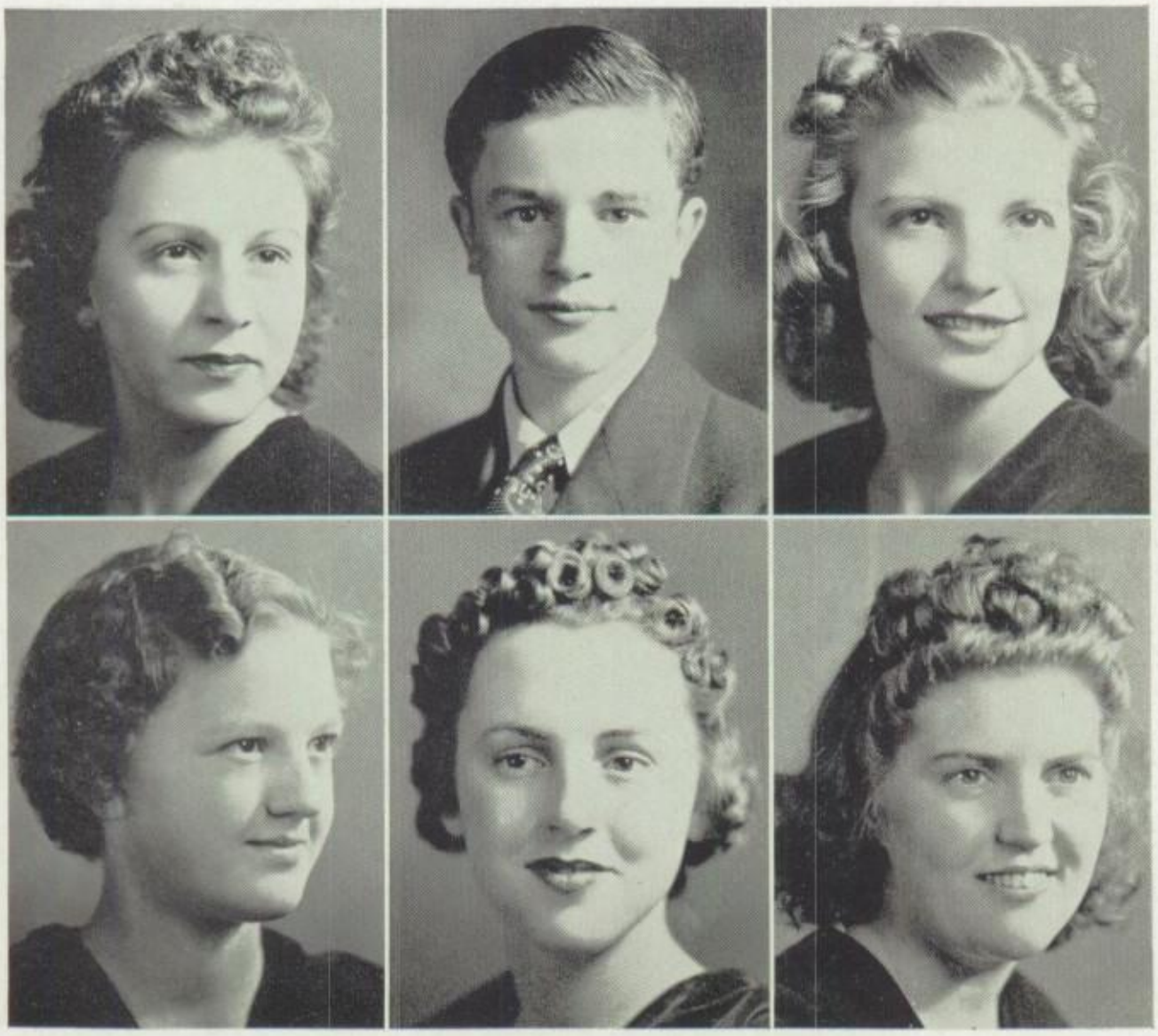
Irene is a quiet, industrious student. Her hobbies are attending the movies and reading. Her ambition still remains a mystery to us, but we wish her the best of luck which she well deserves.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4; Glee Club 1-2.

HELEN DELORES LEIBY *"Leib"*

"Popular" is the word for Helen—and no wonder, for she can dance well. Her cheerful smile wins everyone's heart. She is interested in the commercial field, and has great ambitions of becoming a secretary.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4; Glee Club 2.



Irene Kotubey

John G. Kovach

Marie Kull

Helen L. Kurtz

Irene Kuzma

Helen Delores Leiby

ELIZABETH G. LESHAK *"Lee"*

"Lee" possesses a charming personality and has many friends. Her ambition is to be a beautician, and because of her sincerity in her work, her poise, and her charm she will undoubtedly succeed.

Commercial Course; Glee Club 1; Gym Team 1-2; Prom Committee; Clairian Staff.

JUNE U. McGUIRE *"Juny"*

"Juny" has a sunny disposition. Her hobby is collecting photographs, and her ambition is to become a nurse. "Juny's" diligence will carry her through the trials in life that the field of nursing demands.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 4; Glee Club 1-2-4.

JEAN M. McHALE *"Jean"*

Jean is a quiet and shy individual. She is a hard worker, a studious person, and a good commercial student. Jean's abilities will bring her great success in that field.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4; Glee Club 1-2.

Wishing you the best of everything. Lots of luck and success. Lee.

JOHN MELKONICH *"Yipper"*

This young gentleman has been the bulwark of our sports program. Although we do not know what "Yipper's" chosen vocation is, we expect to hear his name in connection with the athletic world.

Academic Course; Basketball 2-3-4; Baseball 3-4; Football 2-3-4.

MARY MELKONICH *"Mel"*

"Mel" is a very charming and popular young lassie. In classes she is very diligent and attentive. She is sweet and affectionate and has many friends. We expect great things of "Mel."

Commercial Course; Glee Club 1-2; Clairian Staff.

JOHN MENUCHAK *"John"*

John is another of our well-mannered, quiet, and reserved youths. He has a deep interest in his studies and enjoys the company of the opposite sex. He plans to become a mechanic.

General Course; Football 2-3.

Wishing you the best of luck all in your ...

Elizabeth G. Leshak

June U. McGuire

Jean M. McHale

John Melkonich

Mary Melkonich

John Menuchak

Seniors of 1940

JULIA VERONICA METROVKA *"Verna"*

This dark, charming and jolly maiden wishes to be a nurse. With her capability of making friends we know she will succeed in whatever she undertakes. Her hobby is collecting old coins.

Commercial Course; Glee Club 1-2-3; Booster Staff; Band 1-2-3.

WILLIAM EDWARD MICHEL *"Curley"*

We don't blame the girls for being envious of Curley's hair, for the waves are always in place. Only the present interests him, but we hope he will place himself in the future.

General Course.

ROSE MISTYSYN *"Rose"*

"Rose" is a tall, blonde-haired, commercial lass whose demure ways and rare smile have endeared her to many. Dancing is one of Rose's chief pleasures. We hope she will prosper in the future.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4; Glee Club 1-2-3.

PHILIP J. MOCHA *"Phil"*

Because of the excellence with which "Phil" plays baseball, one can readily see that he loves the game. His ambition is to become a doctor, but we hope he doesn't forsake altogether his chosen sport.

Academic Course.

KATHLEEN M. MONAHAN *"Kay"*

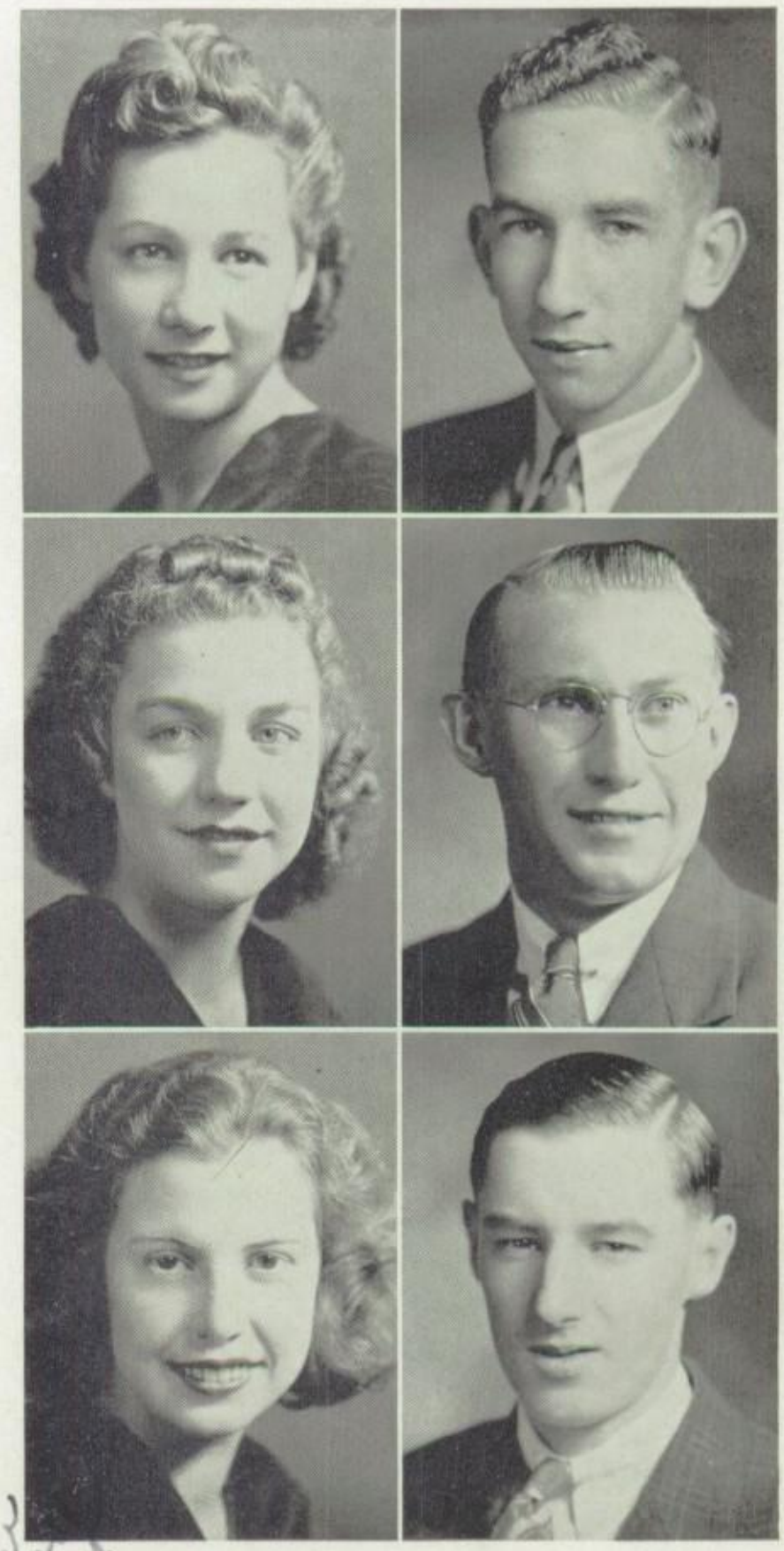
"Kay" is one of the most versatile young ladies in our class. She is noted for her singing, and is an accomplished dancer. Her ambition is to become a nurse. Good luck "Kay."

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi; Glee Club 1-2-4; Gym Team, Prom Committee; Clairian Staff.

WILLIAM J. MONTALTO *"Willie"*

"Willie," who is very popular among his classmates, is one of the jolly boys of the senior class. We do not know what he has chosen for his vocation, but we know he will succeed.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 3-4.



Julia Veronica Metrovka — William Edward Michel
Rose Mistysyn — Philip J. Mocha
Kathleen M. Monahan — William Montalto

Lots of luck to Darrell girl with whom I have had lots of fun in Spanish Class. -Betty

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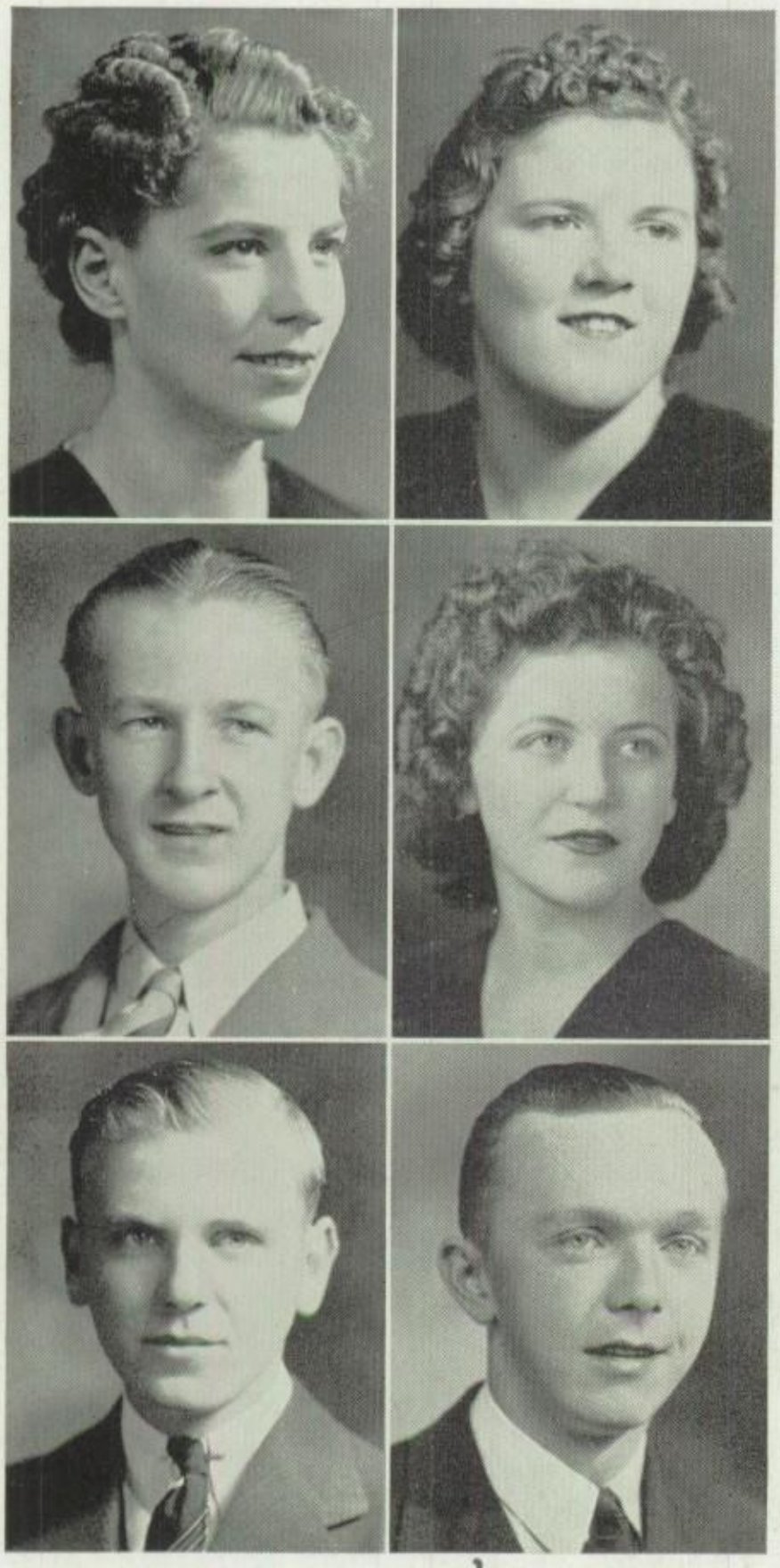


Elizabeth Morris
Michael Edward Pingor
Peter Porchik
Margaret A. Nolan
Elizabeth E. Pluto
Edward T. Price

ELIZABETH MORRIS *"Betty"*

"Betty" is one of these quiet girls, who is inclined to see the better side of a situation. She usually listens to others. Basketball is her favorite sport. Betty's ambition is to become a nurse.

General Course; Glee Club 1-2; Clairian Staff.

MARGARET A. NOLAN *"Peggy"*

"Peggy's" sweet disposition has won her many lasting friends. Being light-hearted, seriousness doesn't enter her life. She takes her school work in full stride. Peggy is sure to create a favorable impression in her work.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4; Glee Club 1-2.

MICHAEL EDWARD PINGOR *"Mike"*

"Mike" is quiet and reserved before those whom he is not acquainted with, but when with friends he is quite a joker. He accomplished his school work with great enthusiasm.

Academic Course.

ELIZABETH E. PLUTO *"Libby"*

"Libby" is a shy and attractive "miss." She is a student worthy of mention. The long walks from Arnot's Addition account for her rosy cheeks. Libby's ambition is to become a nurse.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 3-4; Glee Club 1-2; Gym Team 1; Prom Committee.

PETER PORCHIK *"Pat"*

"Pat," a blonde happy-go-lucky boy, is interested in things mechanical. We hope that Pat has his dreams fulfilled by owning a fleet of trucks. We sincerely wish for the best.

Academic Course.

EDWARD T. PRICE *"Ted"*

"Ted" has been with us since his junior year. He is nonchalant and unconcerned, but yet he possesses a fine sense of humor. Those who know him find him a true friend.

Academic Course; Football 3; Baseball 3.

ROBERT J. PRICE *"Farmer"*

One usually associates "Farmer" with fun, laughter and wit. An ardent lover of music and dancing, he may be seen frequently at all social functions. His aim in life is to become an aviation mechanic.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 3-4; Clairian Staff.

HELEN N. PRIMA *"Prim"*

Behold our star artist! "Prim" is outstanding in this field; we are confident that she will succeed. She is a dark-haired girl with dark expressive eyes, and her blushing cheeks are her most envied possessions.

Commercial Course; Glee Club 1-2; Prom Committee; Clairian Staff.

ANNE M. PUSHCAROVICH *"Pushie"*

"Pushie" is a happy-go-lucky blonde. She is gifted with vim and vigor which have won her many friends. She likes dancing and she is sure to find a good time.

Commercial Course; Glee Club 1-2-4; Booster Staff 1-2; Prom Committee.

ESTELLE C. PUTZKILO *"Stella"*

"Stella" is a jolly girl. In spite of her jollity, shes does not take all matters lightly. There is much hearsay of her wanting to enter the medical profession. We sincerely wish you success Stella!

Academic Course; Glee Club 1-2-4; Prom Committee.

JOHN JOSEPH QUIGLEY *"Squaw"*

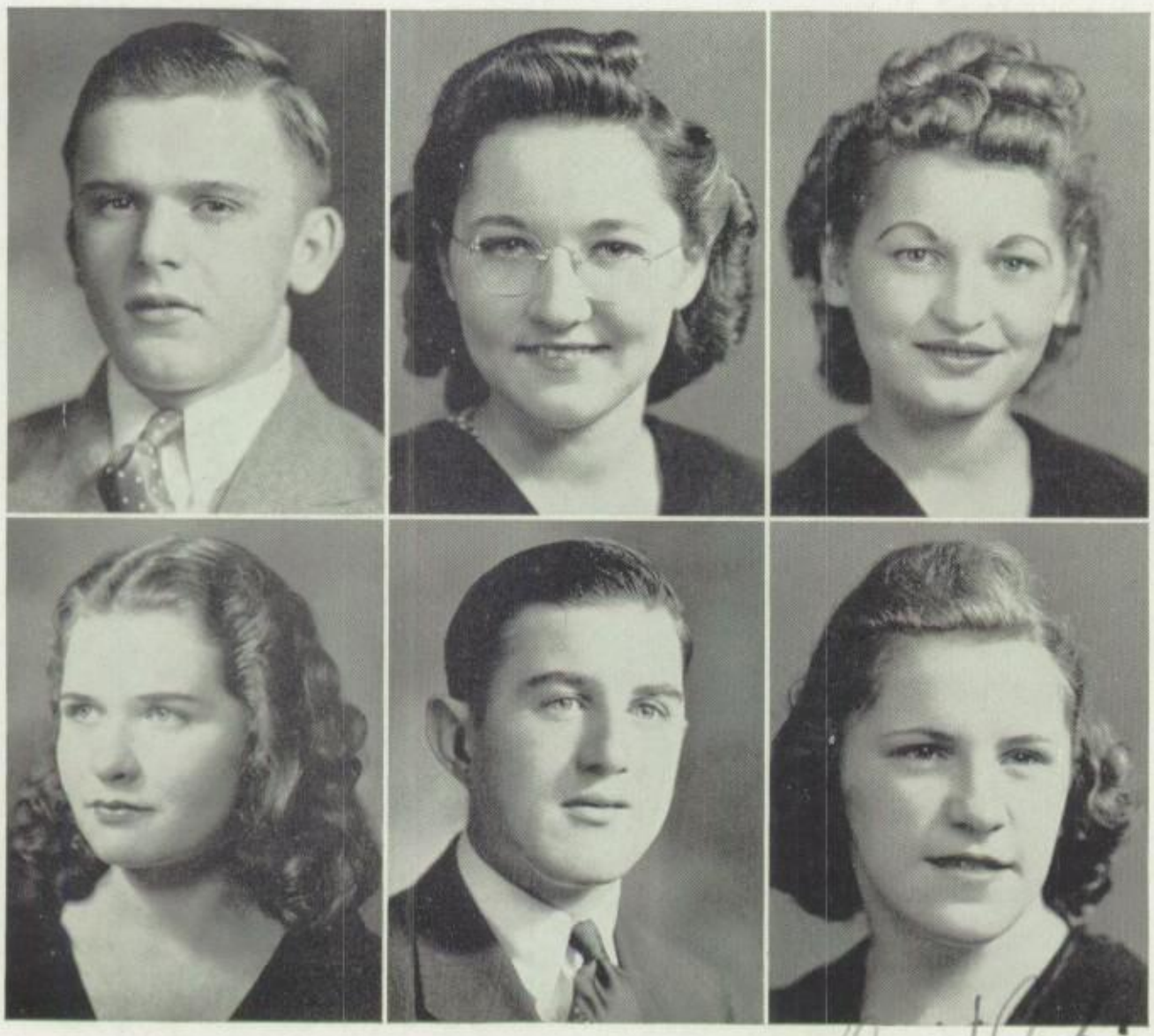
Jack is a willing worker, always eager to give a helping hand to those in distress. He is an ardent sports fan. His helping and cooperative attitude will surely win him that which he desires.

General Course; Student Council 2-3; Clairian Staff.

CATHARINE T. REILLEY *"Kitty"*

Pretty and reserved is Kitty. Her quiet manner and sincere smile have won her a host of friends. To have her as a friend is a pleasure. Happiness to you Kitty!

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 3-4; Glee Club 1-2.



Robert J. Price

Helen N. Prima

Anne M. Pushcarovich

Estelle C. Putzkilo

John Joseph Quigley

Catherine T. Reilley

JERUSSEL C. RESAVAGE *"Jerry"*

"Jerry's" cheery smile is admired by all. She is quite active and takes an interest in sports and dancing. Although she hasn't any definite ambition, we are sure she will succeed.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4; Student Council 2-3-4; Glee Club 1-2; Cheerleader 3-4; Prom Committee; Clairian Staff.

JOHN REYNOLDS *"Jack"*

A "cut up," Jack is always sending people who are within hearing distance into roars of laughter. We wish Jack success in his lifework even though his ambition remains a mystery to us.

General Course.

CAROL JEANNE RHOADS *"Carol"*

Friendliness and sincerity are the outstanding qualities of Carol. Ever possessing a cheerful smile, a sunny disposition, and a remarkable ability of winning friends, she should easily attain her goal of becoming a nurse.

Academic Course; Glee Club 1-2-4; Prom Committee; Clairian Staff.

ELIZABETH FRANCES RHOADS *"Libby"*

"Libby" is one of the most popular members of our class. She is a great participant in school organizations and possesses a remarkable voice. Libby plans to go further in the study of music.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4; Glee Club 1-2-4; Prom Committee; Clairian Staff; Band and Orchestra 1-2-3-4.

GEORGE RISHKO *"Gigi"*

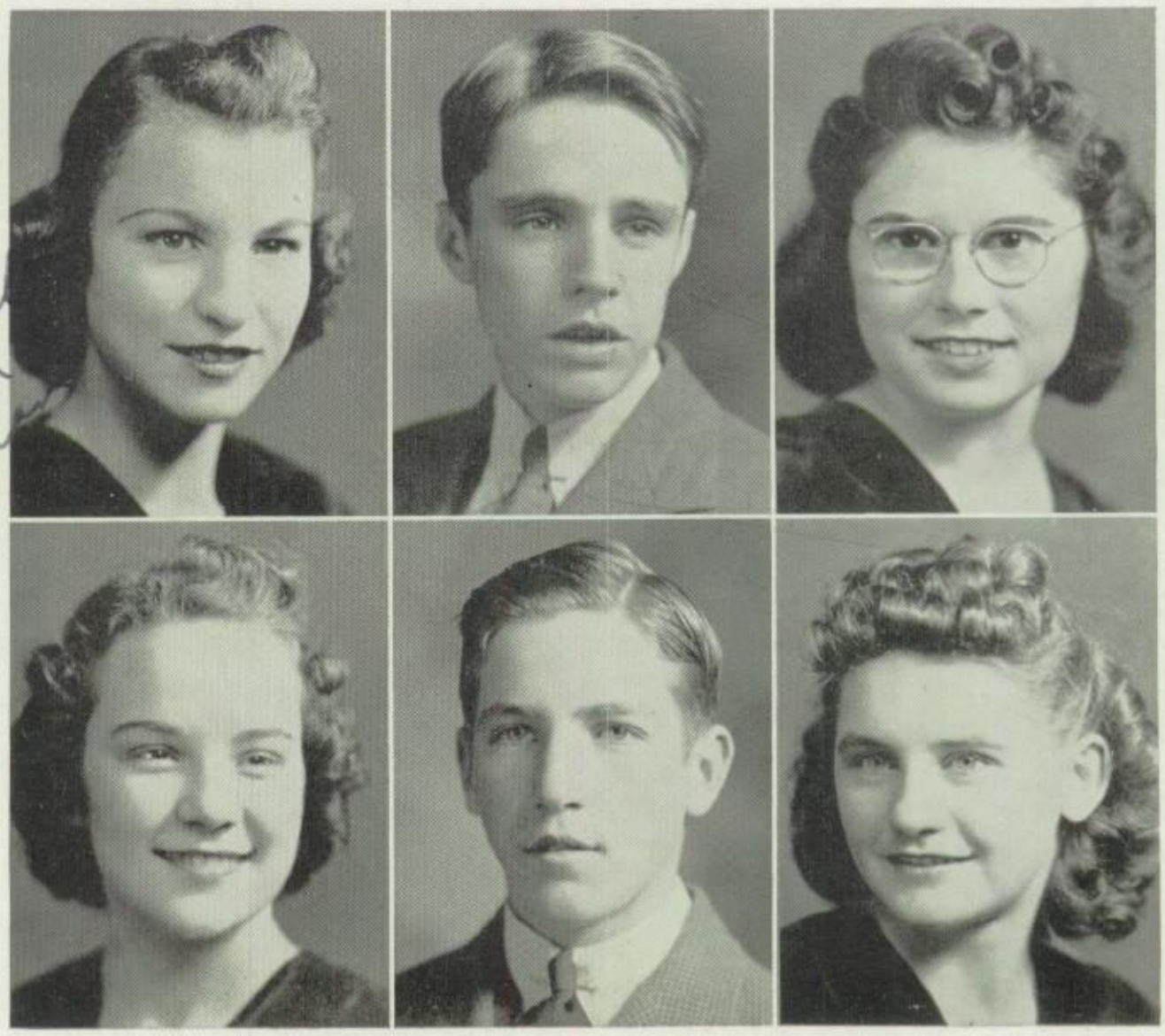
"Gigi" is a playful fellow with a happy-go-lucky attitude. He is known for his ability to play the accordion and plans to take up music in later life.

Academic Course.

MARGARET SALAK *"Margaret"*

Margaret has taken an active interest in her school work. She is reserved and quiet, but always willing to help others. Her intimate friends agree she is a likeable, pleasant person.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4; Glee Club 1-2.



Jerussel C. Resavage

Jack Reynolds

Carol Jeanne Rhoads

Elizabeth Frances Rhoads

George Risko

Margaret Salak

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SUSAN SALOKA *"Sue"*

Susan is a pretty member of our class. She always has a ready smile and will long be remembered by her classmates for her sincerity and generosity. We wish her success in her chosen career.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4; Glee Club.

MONROE SCHNEIER *"Monny"*

Although "Monny" has not been with us very long, his cheerful disposition and personality have won for him many friends. His ambition is to become a successful civil engineer.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi.

ANNA M. SEIWELL *"Cy"*

"Cy," a very active girl, is a clever gymnast. She is an excellent skater and enjoys dancing. Her many friends hope that she can use her sunny disposition to cross the goal of life.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 3-4; Glee Club; Gym Team.

ELIZABETH J. SELINKO *"Betty"*

"Betty" is one of the happiest of girls. Seriousness does not enter her life. Her support of the athletic teams has always been outstanding. Success and more happiness to you Betty!

Academic Course; Glee Club 1-2.

GEORGE FREDRICK SETLOCK *"Setty"*

"Setty" is a natural born musician. Besides playing in the band for four years, he is an accomplished violinist and accordionist. His ambition is to become an orchestra leader.

Academic Course; Band 1-2-3-4; Orchestra 1-2.

ALYSE E. SEVERLOVICH *"Al"*

A jolly, carefree girl is Alyse. Although she performs her work well, she would rather be on a dance floor than in a classroom. She is certain to attain success in all her undertakings.

Academic Course; Glee Club 1-2.

Susan Saloka — Monroe Schneier
Anna M. Seiwell — Elizabeth J. Selinko
George Fredrick Setlock — Alyse E. Severlovich

Remember the dopes on the back of Study Period.

SHAFFER

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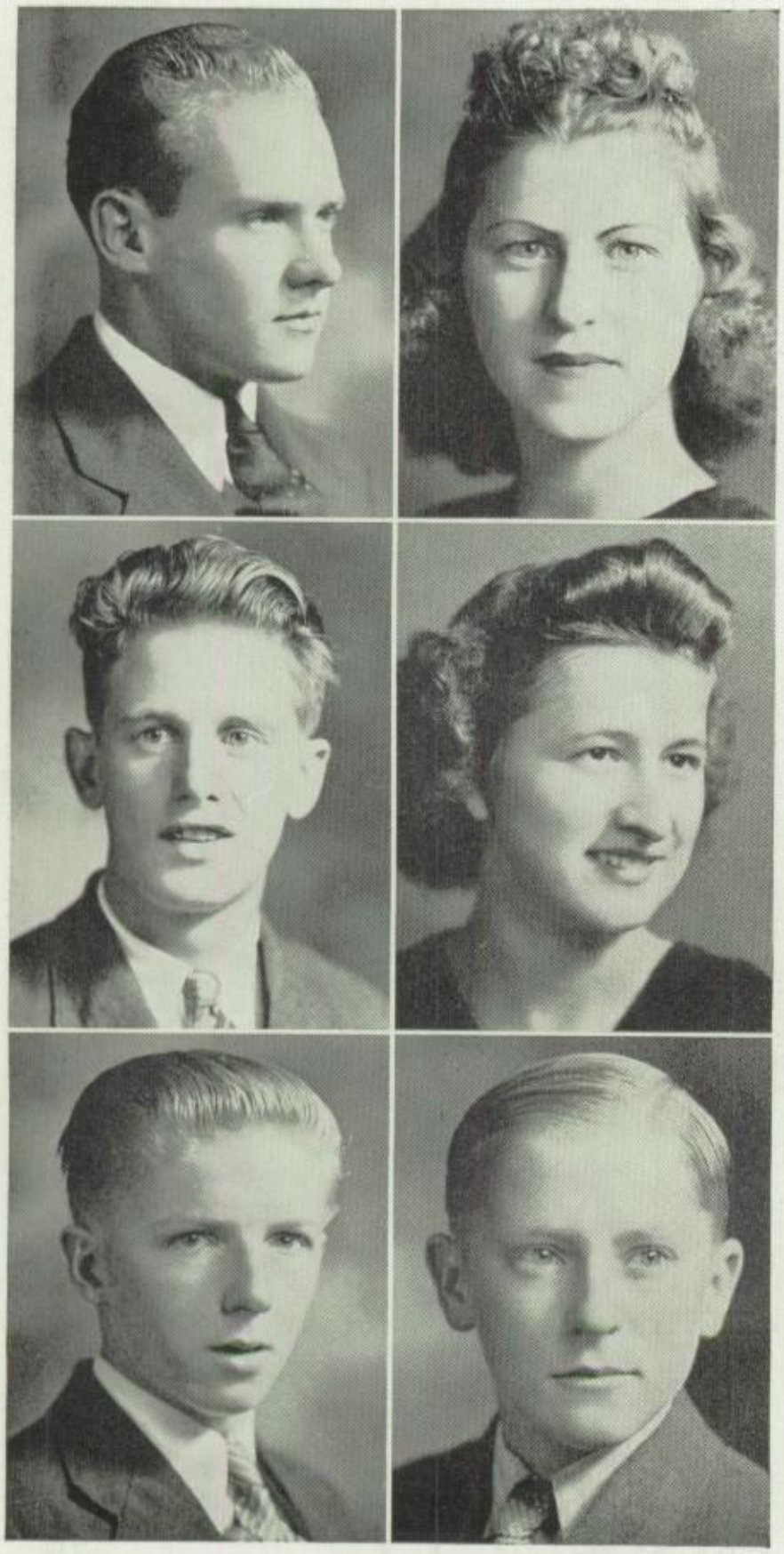


Harry L. Shaffer
John Sich
Frank S. Sincoskie

Elizabeth Shandor
Helen Simchena
Walter J. Sincoskie

HARRY L. SHAFFER *"Dan"*

"Dan" is among the carefree members of the class. He has shown us his ability on the gridiron. He is quite popular with the fairer sex and hopes to play college football in the future.

General Course; Football 2-3-4.

I can't express in words what I would like to say to Elizabeth. But anyway - Success! Elizabeth Isabelle.

ELIZABETH SHANDOR *"Shayo"*

Wherever wit and humor are, there "Shayo" will be also. She is inclined to see the better side of a situation. Now that she is leaving, we hope she will succeed in whatever she undertakes.

Commercial Course.

JOHN SICH *"John"*

John's quiet manner and flashing smile attract us all. His interest lies in sports, and he does his part in cheering on the sidelines. We hope the future brings him fruitful results.

General Course.

HELEN SIMCHENA *"Simy"*

"Simy" is a hard worker which may account for her success as a commercial student. She is a favorite among her classmates, and they wish her success on the road of life.

Commercial Course; Glee Club 1-2.

FRANK S. SINCOSKIE *"Flinkie"*

"Flinkie" seems quiet at first sight, but you will soon learn that he can be gay. This characteristic endears him to the class, and will enable him to be prosperous throughout life.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4.

WALTER J. SINCOSKIE *"Wally"*

Walter is never idle. In him, you will find a neat, pleasure-loving young man who is very congenial and a good sport. His diligence in his studies will surely make him successful.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 3-4; Clairian Staff.

GEORGE J. SMITH *"Smythe"*

George is a happy-go-lucky boy, who has made many friends, while in high school. He is interested in sports and school activities. We hope George will succeed in the work he selects.

Commercial Course; Band 1-2-3.

ANTIONETTA E. SPINA *"Toni"*

"Toni" is a pretty dark-haired lass who hails from the township. Her jolly disposition has helped her to win many friends. Having a car, she is quite a tourist. Her many friends wish her success.

General Course; Glee Club 1-2-4.

STANLEY C. STEFANSKY *"Stan"*

"Stan" is one of our best mathematicians. His ability to do "math" is envied by many. He is also a keen sportsman. Whatever task he may undertake, we wish him luck.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 3-4; Baseball 2-3-4; Gym Team 1-2.

ANN MARGARET STEFICEK *"Ann"*

"Ann" came from the township three years ago and has since won the hearts of many friends. She is a good dancer and is seen frequently at social affairs. Best of luck to you, Ann.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4; Glee Club 1-2; Prom Committee.

ANDREW STEMPIEN *"Andy"*

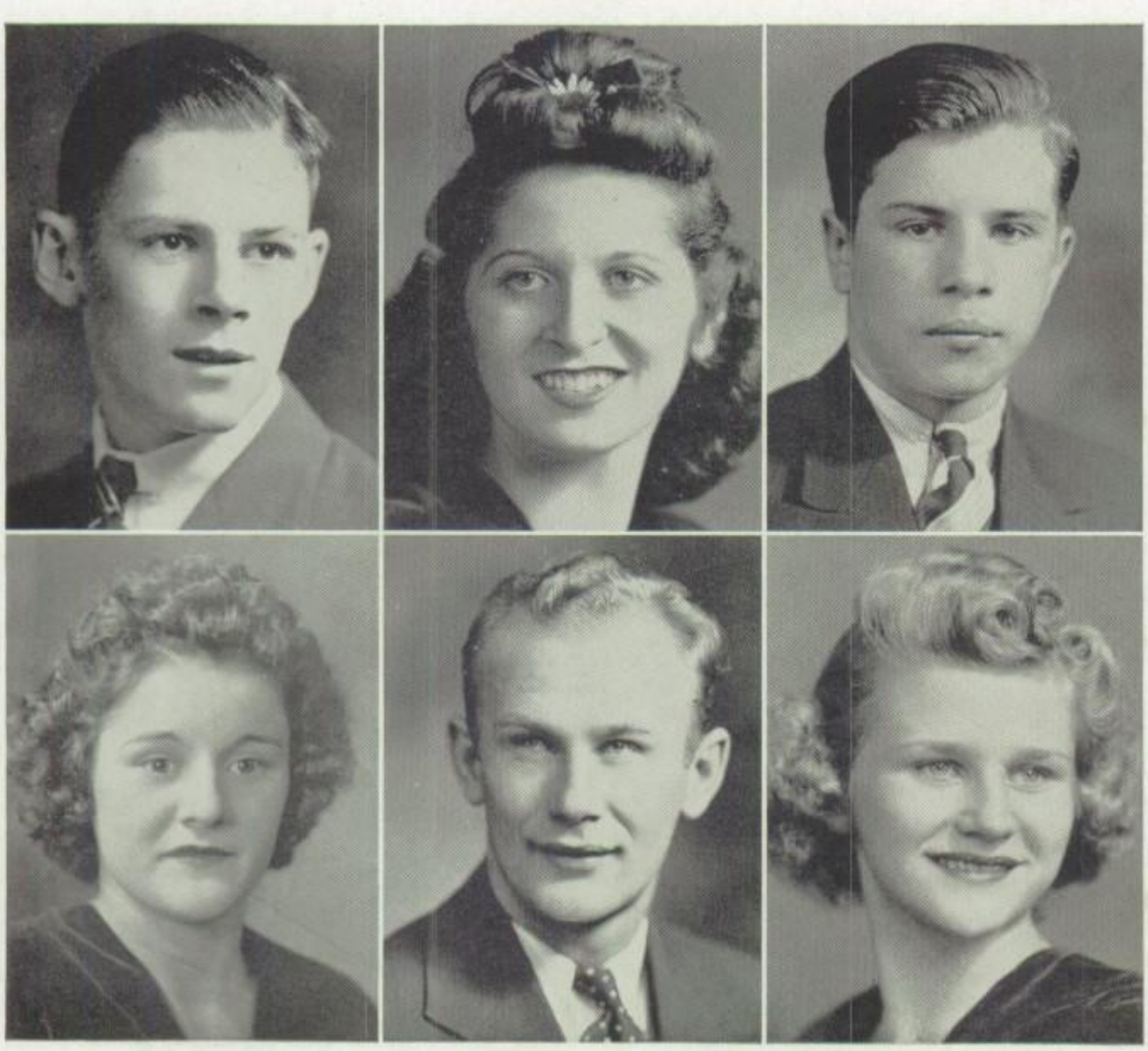
"Andy" is our genial football captain and all-round sportsman who performed his tasks successfully. He is known throughout the school and is quite a popular boy. Success is certain to find place in "Andy's" life.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 3-4; Baseball 2-3; Football 1-2-3-4, Captain 4.

ELLEN E. STEMPIEN *"Nell"*

"Nell" is blonde, attractive and jovial. Her manner in gaining friends has been successful as you can readily see. Our sincere congratulations to "Nell" for being one of the best dancers of our class.

Academic Course; Glee Club 1-2-3-4; Gym Team 2-3; Prom Committee.



George J. Smith

Antionetta E. Spina

Stanley C. Stefansky

Ann Margaret Steficek

Andrew Stempien

Ellen E. Stempien

PETER STRIZACK *"Pete"*

"Pete" is a lively fellow whose chief interest is sports. He was a member of the football team and performed his duties well. He enjoys playing tricks on his classmates and has made many friends.

General Course; Football 3-4.

ANNA SUTZKO *"Tootsie"*

"Tootsie's" chief characteristic is the carefree manner which she possesses. Her jolly disposition has won her many friends. "Tootsie" is undecided as to what vocation she would like, but we wish her success.

General Course.

ELIZABETH JUNE SYMONS *"Elizabeth"*

Elizabeth is one of our excellent commercial students. She has made many friends in her school life, and we know she will have great success in the business world.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4.

JOSEPH TALPASH *"Joker"*

For this attractive boy we can find no better name than "Joker." He is always smiling and ready to tease the girls in his class. With these qualities we are sure he will succeed.

Commercial Course.

HELEN TIROLA *"Helen"*

Helen is an outstanding member of our class. Her gay laughter may be heard at almost any time. Her favorite pastimes are dancing and swimming. Helen's intention is to become a secretary.

Commercial Course; Glee Club 1-2.

BERNARD JOSEPH TUROLIS *"Bernie"*

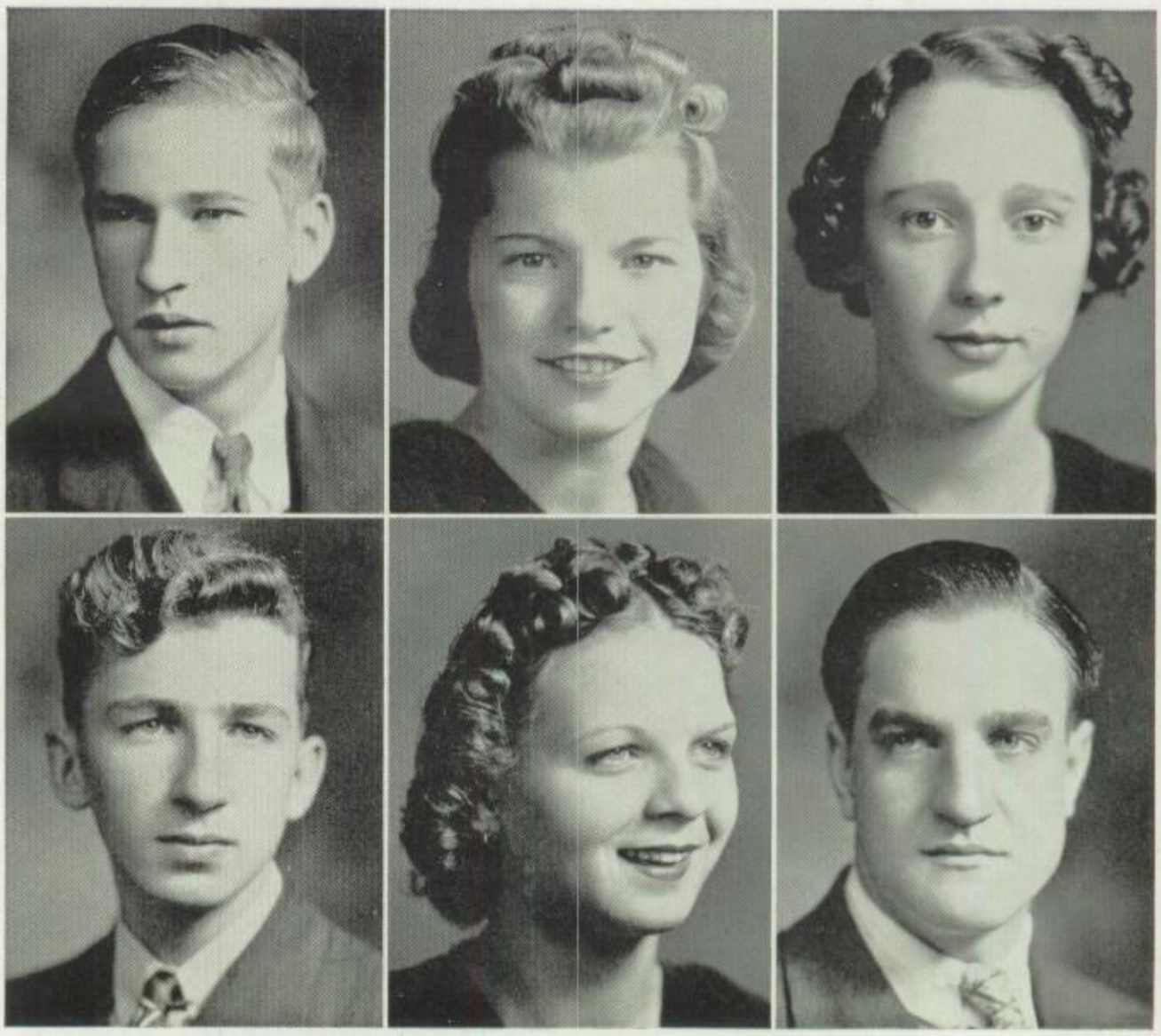
"Bernie" is known as one of the silent elements of the senior class. He is popular among his well chosen friends. His favorite sport is baseball, of which team he is the assistant manager.

General Course; Baseball 2-3-4.

Peter Strizack

Anna Sutzko

Elizabeth June Symons



Joseph Talpash

Helen Tirola

Bernard Joseph Tirolis

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JOHN N. UDIT *"Fuzzy"*

Hail to a great baseball fan and talker! Fuzzy has the ambition to become a reporter. He has a pleasing personality which will aid him in carrying out his ambition successfully.

Commercial Course; B. T. C. 3-4; Student Council 4.

MARGARET P. UDUT *"Peg"*

Peggy is the type of girl who believes in having a gay time anywhere. She enjoys dancing and skating and is usually present at these functions. After she is graduated she intends to study nursing.

General Course; Glee Club 2-4; Prom Committee.

EDITH ALBERTA WALSCAVAGE *"Edy"*

Edith may seem to be the quiet girl while in the company of those who are not acquainted with her, but among her friends she can be entirely different. She is especially interested in dancing.

Commercial Course; Glee Club 1-2.

STANLEY W. WAPINSKI *"Whitey"*

"Whitey" came to Saint Clair High School in his sophomore year. He played basketball during his three years in High School. His ambition is to become an automobile mechanic or a truck driver.

Commercial Course; Basketball 2-3-4.

VIRGINIA E. WEAVER *"Ginner"*

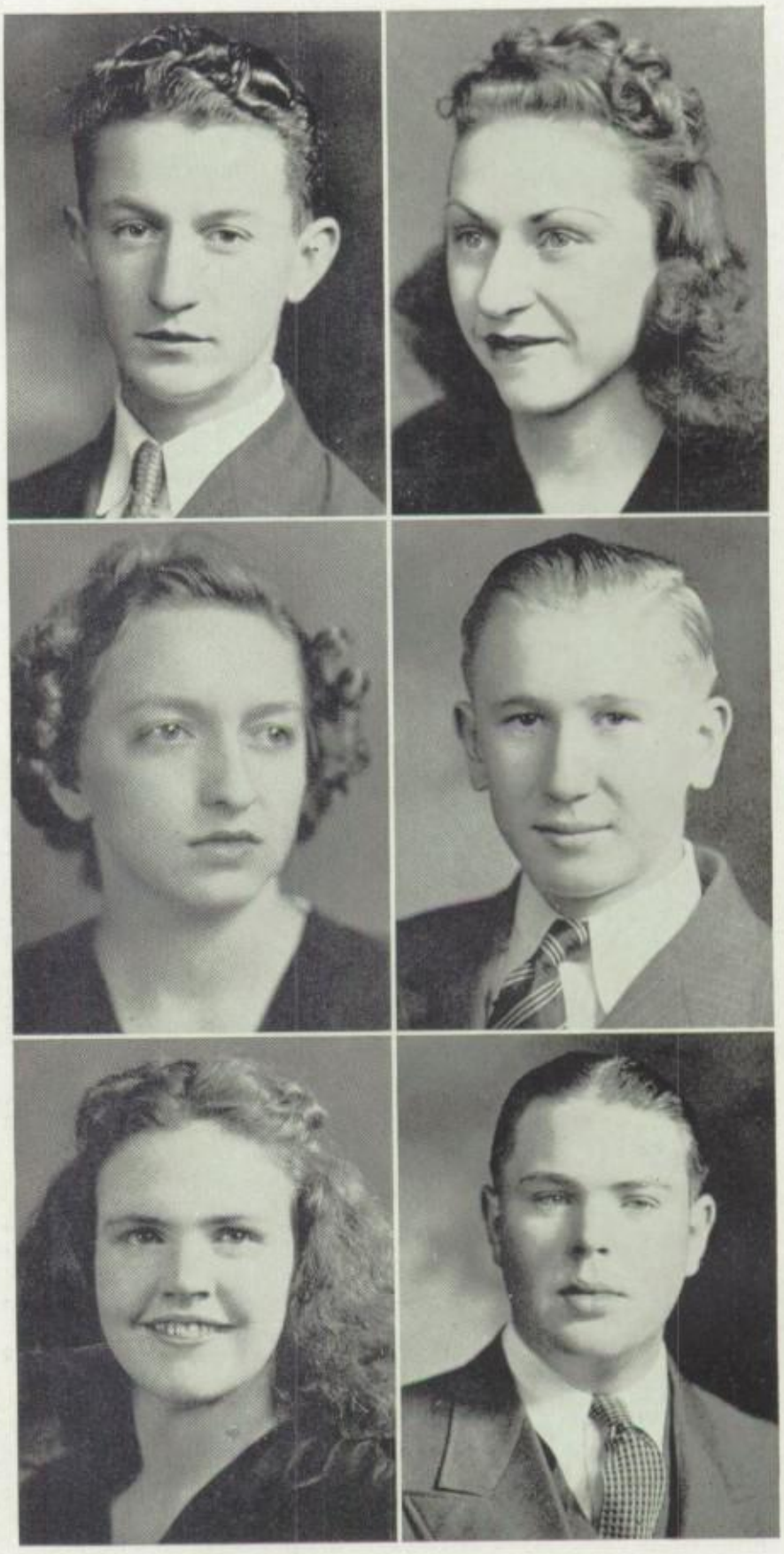
"Ginner," one of the few redheads of our class, came to us as a junior. She is usually seen with her friends, riding around in her car. To her we wish success in her future.

Academic Course; Glee Club 4; Prom Committee.

EDWARD G. WEINUS *"Coach"*

Edward belongs in the class of people who believe silence is golden. His greatest pastimes are hunting and fishing. As he is interested in wild life, "Coach" intends to become a Forester.

General Course; Student Council 3.



John Udit
Edith Alberta Walscavage
Virginia E. Weaver

Margaret P. Udut
Stanley W. Wapinski
Edward G. Weinus

Seniors of 1940

John Williams

George J. Wolff

Isabel Yankosky

Frances A. Yastrop

Stephen M. Yourshaw

John Zamecnik

JOHN CHARLES WILLIAMS *"Jack"*

"Jack" is one of the most popular of the senior class. He has been manager of the basketball team since his sophomore year, and is of no little benefit to the team.

General Course; Prom Committee; Basketball Manager 4; Vice President 3; Treasurer 4.

GEORGE WOLFF *"Woof-Woof"*

In "Woof-Woof" we discovered a congenial and fun-loving classmate; one who always sees the brighest side of things. He is an ardent sports fan, being an important member of our football team for two years.

Academic Course; Student Council 1-2; Football 1-2-3.

ISABEL YANKOSKY *"Ibbie"*

"Ibbie" is one of our fun-loving young ladies. With her warm smile and sunny disposition she has endeared herself to the hearts of her classmates. Her beautiful black eyelashes are the envy of many.

Academic Course; Alpha Delta Pi 3-4; Glee Club 1-2; Prom Committee.

FRANCES A. YASTROP *"Fran"*

"Fran" may mislead you into believing that she is reserved, but her close friends know her to be jolly and fun-loving. Ability, plus an industrious character, puts her within easy reach of her goal.

Academic Course.

STEPHEN M. YOURSHAW *"Steve"*

A believer in "actions speak louder than words," Steve loses no time in getting results. Being studious doesn't prevent him from keeping his social contacts. His ambition is unknown, but we feel he will succeed.

Academic Course.

JOHN ZAMECNIK *"Zing"*

"Zing" and his violin have been almost inseparable. But being an ardent sports fan, John found time for other lighter diversions. This, however, hasn't prevented him from taking a deep interest in his school work.

General Course; Orchestra 1-2-3-4.

Can You Imagine

1. Carl Adamcik not conversing about politics.
2. Dorothy Adamitis being in a hurry.
3. Betty Bobber without George Wolff.
4. Joseph Botto being a taxi-cab driver for S. C. H. S.
5. Helen Brady raising her voice above a whisper.
6. George Beacher being heard above the others in a group.
7. Arline Brown, Nancy Grace, Betty Selinko, and Virginia Weaver not traveling in the "Packard."
8. John Brown not knowing his shorthand.
9. Emory Carpency being a traveling salesman.
10. Herman Chattin not smiling.
11. John Melkonich, Leo Halkovich, and Robert Gracely as the three stooges of the '40 class.
12. William Chermanski smiling without showing his pearly teeth.
13. William Childs without the girls around him.
14. Mary Conlen not skating.
15. Mark Dailey not working after school.
16. Isabelle Yankosky trying to dodge Russell.
17. Charles Dikun with a perfect attendance record.
18. Kathryn Doyle without a large vocabulary.
19. Michael Draovitch not willing to help.
20. John Elenchin milking his cow before coming to school.
21. Mary Evans bringing a bag of apples to P.A.D. class.
22. Edward Fitz not knowing his Chemistry.
23. Joseph Kavolchyck as "Mutt."
24. Anna Flanagan without Catherine Harrison.
25. Dorothy Frantz attending every class regularly.
26. Francis Gately kissing Elizabeth Pluto in the Christmas Play.
27. Jeanette Giemza and Margaret Nolan not dropping in the Home Maid after school.
28. Mildred Gogotz getting a doll for Christmas.
29. Michael Granilla starting school on the first day of the term.
30. Muriel Gray not looking for that certain underclassman.
31. Jeannette Hale coming to school on time.
32. Mary Haloviak, Helen Prima, Susan Saloka, and Elizabeth Rhoads not occupying the same table in the library.
33. John Haslam proposing to a girl.
34. Natalie Haverty not chewing gum.
35. Olga Havron getting hysterical in the movies.
36. Stephen Heber passing a time test in typing.
37. Paul Honas arguing with a teacher.
38. Pauline Hudak and Edith Walscavage not discussing the opposite sex.
39. Robert Geiger driving a car with Ruth Heinbach pushing it.
40. Robert Hughes passing a French test.
41. William Hughes struggling over the combination of his locker.
42. John Jalonski as a woman hater.
43. Elizabeth Johns not talking about "Bob."
44. Michael Kadingo and Joseph Talpash not cooperating in P.A.D. class.
45. Helen Kowalcheck and Jerussel Resavage going straight home from school.
46. Albert Kazlauskas having an idle moment.
47. Claire Knight making noise in class.
48. Anna Kominetz not wearing a ribbon in her hair.
49. Joseph Kormash willing to agree without persuasion.
50. Paul Kostrey and George Setlock playing "Speak to me of Love."
51. Elenore Kotch riding home from school.
52. Helen Kotch, Anna Steficek, and Rose Mistysyn not walking home together.
53. Irene Kotubey saying cross words.
54. John Kovach without a smile.
55. Marie Kull not telling jokes.
56. Helen Kurtz not playing tennis.
57. Helen Leiby coming to school with a mouse trap.
58. Elizabeth Leshak without her hair fixed.
59. June McGuire becoming angry.
60. Jean McHale skiing to school.
61. Mary Melkonich and Helen Tirola not going to Cumbola.
62. John Menuchack not bringing candy to school.
63. William Michel with straight hair.
64. Philip Mocha not talking to the girls.
65. Kathleen Monahan talking without acting dramatical.
66. William Montalto looking for his "appendix."
67. Elizabeth Morris not being interested in boys.
68. Michael Pingor delivering a sermon.
69. Edward Price refusing to drive a truck.
70. Robert Price talking without his voice cracking.
71. Anna Pushcarovich gaining fifty pounds.
72. Stella Putzkilo not being able to dance.
73. John Quigley being lost for words.
74. John Reynolds and George Rishko acting dignified.
75. Carol Rhoads not knowing the latest jokes.
76. Margaret Salak and Elizabeth Symons catching boy friends.
77. Monroe Schneier talking with his hands tied.
78. Alyse Severlovich sitting a dance out.
79. Elizabeth Shandor not "jitterbugging" every night.
80. John Sich not being interested in Boy Scouts.
81. Helen Simchena and Susan Chalko keeping quiet in Hygiene class.
82. Frank Sincoskie staying out until after 10 o'clock at night.
83. Walter Sincoskie not getting a "straight A."
84. George Smith playing "cow boys and Indians."
85. Antionetta Spina cutting her hair.
86. Stanley Stefansky being a reporter at a boxing match.
87. Andrew Stempien going faster than five miles an hour.
88. Nell Stempien going home early.
89. Peter Strizack without a toy.
90. Anna Sutzko dancing with a fellow six feet tall.
91. Bernard Turolis not being interested in sports.
92. John Udit getting angry.
93. Margaret Udut not knowing the latest dance steps.
94. Edward Weinus neglecting his duties as a huntsman.
95. John Williams sitting still in the Library.
96. Frances Yastrop not telling a "fib."
97. John Zamecnik giving a political address.
98. Peter Porchik and Peter Fitz in a hurry.
99. Catherine Reilley not being at "Boone's."
100. Harry Shaffer not assisting Mr. Bodenhorn.
101. Stephen Yourshaw disturbing his neighbors.
102. Irene Kuzma without her Commercial notebooks.
103. Stanley Wapinski believing in "Silence is Golden."
104. Elizabeth Frantz and Anna Seiwell filling their diary at the locker.

JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Back Row: Joseph Mick. *Front Row:* Boyd Hale, Jack Boyd, Edward Honicker.

Class of 1941

OFFICERS

President	Jack Boyd.
Vice President	Boyd Hale
Secretary	Joseph Mick
Treasurer	Edward Honicker
Class Flower	Yellow Tea Rose
Class Colors	Royal Blue and Gold
Class Motto,	We Build The Ladder by Which We Rise
Advisors	Miss Anna Quirin, Mr. Francis Mooney

JOLLY JUNIORS READY FOR SENIORSHIP

IN 1937 we, the class of '41, entered the portals of Saint Clair High School, and were welcomed with a Freshman party which was sponsored by the Student Council. We are very proud of the fact that we had the first Freshman class team to win the Intramural Class Basketball Championship. Having won this honor, we received a beautiful trophy from Dr. Buchanan, which we cherish dearly.

We are in one of the most exciting years of school. We held an annual Junior Promenade on the night of December 25th at the Public School Auditorium. The hall was decorated in blue and gold, and the music was furnished by Frank Shaw. We received our class rings which were chosen as the standard class ring.

We are now looking forward to the last and most exciting year of Saint Clair High, our Senior Year, and hope to uphold our motto through the guidance of our present officers.

SECTION 11A

Back Row: John Kiapes, Joseph Bauer, Vincent Hresko, Andrew Kalyan, George Uller, Joseph Warner, Joseph Wylotta, Michael Premich, George Timko, Peter Kovach. *Middle Row:* Francis Gillespie, Jack Boyd, Leo Kelly, Boyd Hale, Zane Gemmill, Leo Gately, Michael Kerick, Aldred Simmens, Andrew Timko, John Garis, Charles Short. *Front Row:* Grace Bardarik, Mary Charnak, Joan Conlen, Alice Anzulis, Mary Sincoskie, Peggy Kantner, Betty Bolinsky, Leah Jones, Frances Stebnicki, Betty Paulin, Eleanor Tomchany, Anna Marie Smith, Betty Yost.

SECTION 11B

Back Row: John Stefanski, Joseph Mick, Wallace Nork, John Dresch, Peter Vrabel, Michael Salata, Michael Kostrey, David Nolan, Joseph Resavage. *Middle Row:* Robert Shumskis, James McGonigle, Stanley Seitzinger, George Kratchko, George Kostrey, Peter Havelick, Joseph Katchun, Edward Honicker, George Petrichko. *Front Row:* Edward Higgins, Ralph Dodds, William McKenzie, Anna Mae Anderson, Ethel Evans, Helen Hostina, Helen Lishman, Dena Supowitz, Dorothy Snyder, Mary Winisko, Cecil Beadle, Robert Brady, John Malenick.

SECTION 11C

Back Row: Harry Price, Michael Kustan, Albert Thompson, Sam Kanish, Paul Marinin, Joseph Corby, James Baker, Thomas Kirk, Salvadore Spina, Alex Demanovitch. *Middle Row:* Joseph Plefka, Rita Scanlan, Helen Panko, Irene Chewcaskie, Elizabeth Dorward, Dorothy Flannery, Anna Gombar, Mary Melnic, Robert Flannery. *Front Row:* Catherine Pingor, Josephine Strencosky, Leona Uhrin, Anna Reading, Doris James, Anna Pinkasavage, Anna Friga, Catherine Wolf, Beatrice Garrity, Teresa Malatesta, Frances McCord, Jean DiLisio, Marie Toomey.

SECTION 11D

Back Row: Joseph Meterchick, Paul De Markis, Andrew Laguna, Walter Yankosky, Joseph Vrabel, John Krisa, Daniel Miller, John Beritsky, Anthony Cherry, Michael Boris. *Front Row:* Mary Thomas, Rita Quiffin, Anna Tomochick, Mary Kovich, Phoebe Brown, Helen Kubetka, Evelyn Webb, Edna Shaefer, Frances Jacobs, Mary Weiss, Mary DiCiero, Irene Huzway, Elizabeth Kanezb, Isabelle Little.

SECTION 11E

Back Row: Anna Chaplick, Catherine Greenback, Helen Thomas, Anna Cheripka, Elizabeth Dudick, Irene Matsko, Mary Gehring, Julia Kostura, Kathleen Grace, Mildred Hresan, Margaret Macko. *Front Row:* Edna Barnes, Catherine Brown, Frances Blahosky, Marie Shepta, Mildred Shoopack, Ruth Knoblauch, Jeannette McGuire, Harriet Howells, Adele Turolis, Christine Berdanier, Alice Barnes, Alice Higgins, Catherine Klemer, Betty Robertson.

Isabelle:
Here's to a little girl with a charming smile and a pleasing personality. May you succeed in all your undertakings (including Charles)
Always
"Millie"

Luck + success in everything you do. W. Wabby

SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS
Back Row: Arch Egan, Michael Stempien.
Front Row: Walter Wabby, Nell Sell.

Class of 1942

OFFICERS

President	Nettie Sell
Vice President	Michael Stempien
Secretary	Walter Wabby
Treasurer	Arch Egan
Flower	Dark Red Rose
Color	Maroon and Gold
Motto	Patience Wins Success
Advisors	Miss Margaret Healey, Mr. Evan Evans

AFTER passing through the inexperienced stage of Freshmen, we have now climbed to the place of experienced Sophomores. This climb has been made easier by our class officers and advisors.

Early in October we held our first class meeting at which time we elected our class officers. Our representations in the extra-curricular activities have been many and our associations have been both pleasant and worthwhile. We entered the Sophomore class functions fully confident of our ability to live up to everyone's greatest expectations. Our year as Sophomores has been both successful and pleasant.

We hope to attain our highest ambitions and become trustworthy Juniors under the guidance of our faculty and our pleasant surroundings. May we uphold with the utmost sincerity our motto, "Patience Wins Success".

SECTION 10A

Back Row: John Sweat, Peter Delingo, William Dashifsky, William Griffiths, Victor Putsavage, Ralph Slepecky, Steve Sharockman, John Kralick, Norman Robertson, George Katchur, Paul Tarris. *Middle Row:* Steve Rishko, Theodore Pretti, John Metrovka, John Pomian, Donald Haverty, Stephen Demanovich, George Dodds, Neil Little, Robert Lawless, Dean Frantz, James Mansell, Samuel DeWald, Andrew Stefi-cek. *Front Row:* Thomas Gregory, Francis Haluska, Vincent Klemer, Roland Price, James Quigley, Michael Kurtz, Thomas Kennedy, Michael Futchko, Peter Hoidra, Austin Scandiber, John Fetzik, John Push-carovich, John Katchur.

SECTION 10B

Back Row: Ruth Botto, Laura Diehl, Mary Powell, Anna Mary Jacoby, Ethel Granilla, Florence Gogotz, Mary Kralick, Mary Dzurina, Agnes Pingor, Ellen McCormick, Eleanor Severlovich, Mildred Drahuschak, Evelyn Gorman. *Middle Row:* Ruth Sheris, Michael Stempien, John Washuta, Stanley Wabby, Arch Egan, Joseph Michalik, John Verchick, Henry Tipping, George Turnitsa, Margaret Watunya. *Front Row:* Mary Kaminsky, Sarah Conlen, Mary Whims, Helen Vrabel, Virginia Klemar, Mildred Popowich, Helen Spina, Margaret Pelleck, Margaret Hagan, Helen Washuta, Catherine Kleinlein, Doris Craig, Mildred Putzkilo.

SECTION 10C

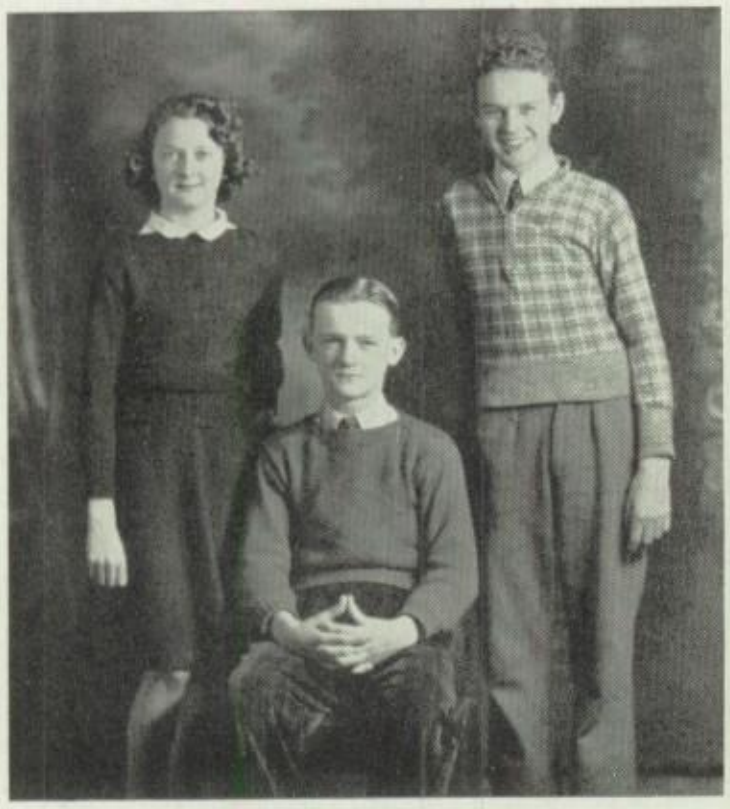
Back Row: Mike Popowich, Paul Chaplick, Edward Frantz, Robert Bosche, Mike Procak, Clarence Leddy, Zigmund Pawlawski, Vincent Padrazes, Mike Stifechick, Peter Stock, Roman Juba, Mike Kulka. *Middle Row:* Allen Chattin, Francis Buckley, Thomas Fleming, Bette Davis, Merle Goodman, Betty Barnes, Betty Chattin, Edward Whittaker, Bill Grace. *Front Row:* Natalie Nyce, Nettie Sell, Alma Liebby, Mary Wisnoskie, Roselie Pruss, Isabell Stech, Mary Scrinkosky, Regina Ocelus, Irene Futchko, Roselie Melodis, Julia Fatula, Lillian Krebs, Betty Brown, Mary Guisweit.

SECTION 10D

Back Row: Ethel McGuire, Regina Brennan, Merle Thomas, Bette Longo, Anna Menuchak, Josephine Stadnick, Dorothy Fitz, Mary Beacher, Jane Rubright, Helen Tomko. *Middle Row:* Paulyne Cheripka, Agnes Smolka, Betty Symons, Bella Rheinhart, Susan Markovich, Susan Plasha, Doris Hess, Hermina Gouris, Catharine Kirk, Susan Strizack. *Front Row:* Catharine Leone, Sadie Hillman, Anna Elo, Mary Rubright, Dorothy Dodds, Sara Tierney, Julian Haughney, Jane Craig, Mary Weller, Margaret Mistishen, Helen Golida, Mary Brennan, Margaret Mizisko.

SECTION 10E

Back Row: Robert Meinhold, Francis Pingor, Elwood Reed, William Stevens, John McCormick, Leroy Geisweit, John Parker, Joseph Stednitz, Walter Wabby, George Geisweit. *Middle Row:* Norman Davenport, Clyde Auman, John Romanko, Richard Hillman, Paul Missonis, John Gaul, Edward Blankenhorn, Joseph Reading, Robert Weinus, Leonard Tomcavage, Myron Yourshaw. *Front Row:* Philip Demanovich, Helen Kovich, Catherine Mistysyn, Evelyn Warnick, Kathryn Juba, Anna Kostura, Lois Smith, Ellen Gehring, Margaret Holobetz, Bette Hale, Helen Fetzenko, Isabelle Starvetsky, Raymond Culbert.



FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS
Anna Klizas, Secretary-Treasurer; Joe Larish, President; Joe Hrezo, Vice President.

Class of 1943

OFFICERS

President	Joseph Larish
Vice President	Joseph Hrezo
Secretary-Treasurer	Anna Klizas
Flower	Red Rose
Colors	Crimson and White
Motto	Impossible is Un-American
Advisors	Miss Katherine Beck, Mr. David Evans

THE class of 1943 entered the portals of Saint Clair High School on September 6, 1939. High hopes, mingled with slight misgivings, filled the 185 members of our class. After due time we became acclimated, and recognized ourselves as an integral part of this great school. Its spirit, its ethics, and its loyalty one to another made a deep impression upon us and strengthened our determination to be proud of our school and make our school proud of us. Led by our advisors, we elected our officers to lead our destinies toward the path of sophomoric splendor in 1940, when we shall take our second great step toward our coveted goal.

SECTION 9A

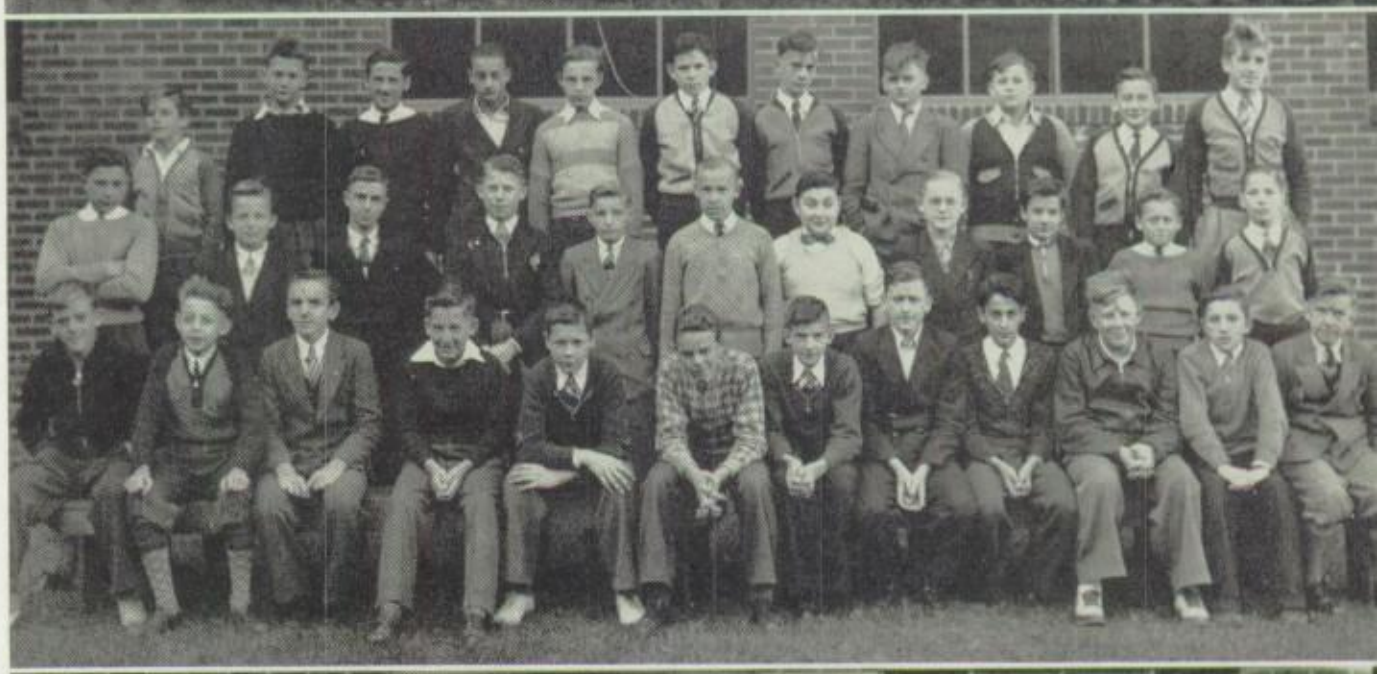
Back Row: Leon Bildheiser, Raymond Haverty, William Frantz, Oscar Cookson, Albert Folta, Donald Paton, Algert Padamonsky, Moses Hinchey, Robert James, William Haverty, Joseph Pogash. *Middle Row:* Dorothy Ballick, Mae Zelinsky, Helen Mistisshen, Ethel Klemer, Steffie Folta, Alice Opalenick, Dorothy Yaneck, Irene Knezo, Jean Thorn, Anna Krisok, Margaret Laurie, Mary Frank. *Front Row:* Margaret Futchko, Elizabeth Lejko, Elizabeth Reichak, Mary Timko, Katherine Holoviak, Susan Udit, Eleanor Setlock, Agnes Twardzik, Mary Chisick, Gertrude Blakeslee, Catherine Stashinko, Helen Lutzkanin, Elizabeth Hresko, Dorothy Geiger.

SECTION 9B

Back Row: Michael Chismar, Laurence Alessi, Joseph Wapinsky, Edward Sinko, James Leddy, Fred Wolff, James Stone, Patrick Brennan, Melvin Havron, John Chermansky, Joseph Curry, Michael Bulino, Joseph Miklochik. *Middle Row:* Francis Brady, Fred Reed, James Roark, Paul Dailey, Richard Dodds, Michael Elenchin, Charles Barnes, Michael Katchur, Joseph Reynolds, Robert McCarthy, Edward Adams, Dale Sell. *Front Row:* Russell Crawshaw, Stephen Draovitch, Bernard Carroll, Betty Tirola, Stasia Molesky, Dorothy Pollog, Helen Naradko, Julia Kachek, Mary Vinanskie, Virginia Grabish, Mary Talpash, Charles Bulino, Andrew Homa, Carl Sincoskie.

SECTION 9C

Back Row: Errol Honicker, Jerome Salak, Alex Lutzkanin, Charles Salm, Mike Bailey, Frank Monahan, John Davis, William Whalen, John Sloposky, Joseph Pomian, Joseph Kasmari. *Middle Row:* John Connors, Joseph Kubich, Jacob Tkachyk, Joseph Mocha, Fred Blahosky, Paul Chalko, Norman Rosenzweig, Daniel Bardarik, Anthony Turolis, Thomas Pelak, Steve Urenko. *Front Row:* Robert Darcangelo, Steve Kockulick, John Herchak, Andrew Cheripka, Peter Kaunas, Joseph Hrezo, Walter Scarbinsky, Luke Kadingo, Anthony Sarge, Marshall Aulenbach, Alex Hnatyshn, Steve Polik.



SECTION 9D

Back Row: Dean Gould, Francis Krafchik, Vincent Skubish, Steve Kustan, Frank Hanas, Joseph Slouchick, Michael Metroka. *Middle Row:* George Uhrin, Tony Boris, George Pollock, Joseph Maliniak, Margaret Manura, Anna Charnak, Dorothy Meloditz, Joseph Sinko, Charles Leshak, Charles Kovach. *Front Row:* Elsie Frantz, Anna Klizas, Doris Geiger, Sylvia Mullin, Helen Melnic, Betty Povanda, Dorothy Eisenhuth, Pearl Jones, Theresa Sich, Marjorie Hentz, Sophie Garis, Frances Lishman, Marie Klein, Martha Yankosky, Mary Sninsky.

SECTION 9E

Back Row: Mary Bumbak, Anna Dikun, June Jones, Rosanna Mozloom, Irene Romanko, Helen Goblick, Eleanor Homa, Helen Chewcaskie. *Middle Row:* Helen Meterchick, Betty Brown, Rose Leone, Catherine Toner, Mary Garrity, Susan Tirola, Mary Brown, Ruth Sheafer, Margaret Salata, Helen Pinkus, Merle Williams, Mildred Sincoskie, Mable Garland. *Front Row:* Betty Chermanski, Bessie Bickelman, Helen Badida, Jean Arnout, Mary Mischon, Betty Brennan, Alice Tipping, Aderita Raab, Ethel Covach, Jane Strausser, Teresa Dowling, Leona Yutko, Bette Huzway, Margaret Kalyan.

Events of the Past Term

September 5—Opening of School

September 27—Rufus Rose's Marionettes—"Pinocchio"

October 17—Howard Cleaves—"Wilderness Thrills"

October 20—Hallowe'en Masquerade Dance

October 27—Hallowe'en Program

November 14—Harry C. White—"Electricity"

November 22—Thanksgiving Program

November 23—Thanksgiving Dance

December 22—Christmas Program

December 25—Junior Prom

January 12—Concert by Federal Band

January 30—Walter Van Haitsma—"Aviation"

February 1—Pre-Lenten Dance

February 15—Elliott James—"Liquid Air"

February 21—Washington-Lincoln Program

March 8—Concert by Federal Band

March 12—Student Council Party

March 14—Alpha Delta Pi Covered Dish Social

March 19—Senior Class Visit to County Buildings sponsored by Prof. F. P. McCullough

March 21—Easter Program

April 4—Easter Dance

April 30—Moving Pictures—U. S. Navy

May 7—Glee Club Concert

May 10—Grade School Operetta

May 14—School Band Concert

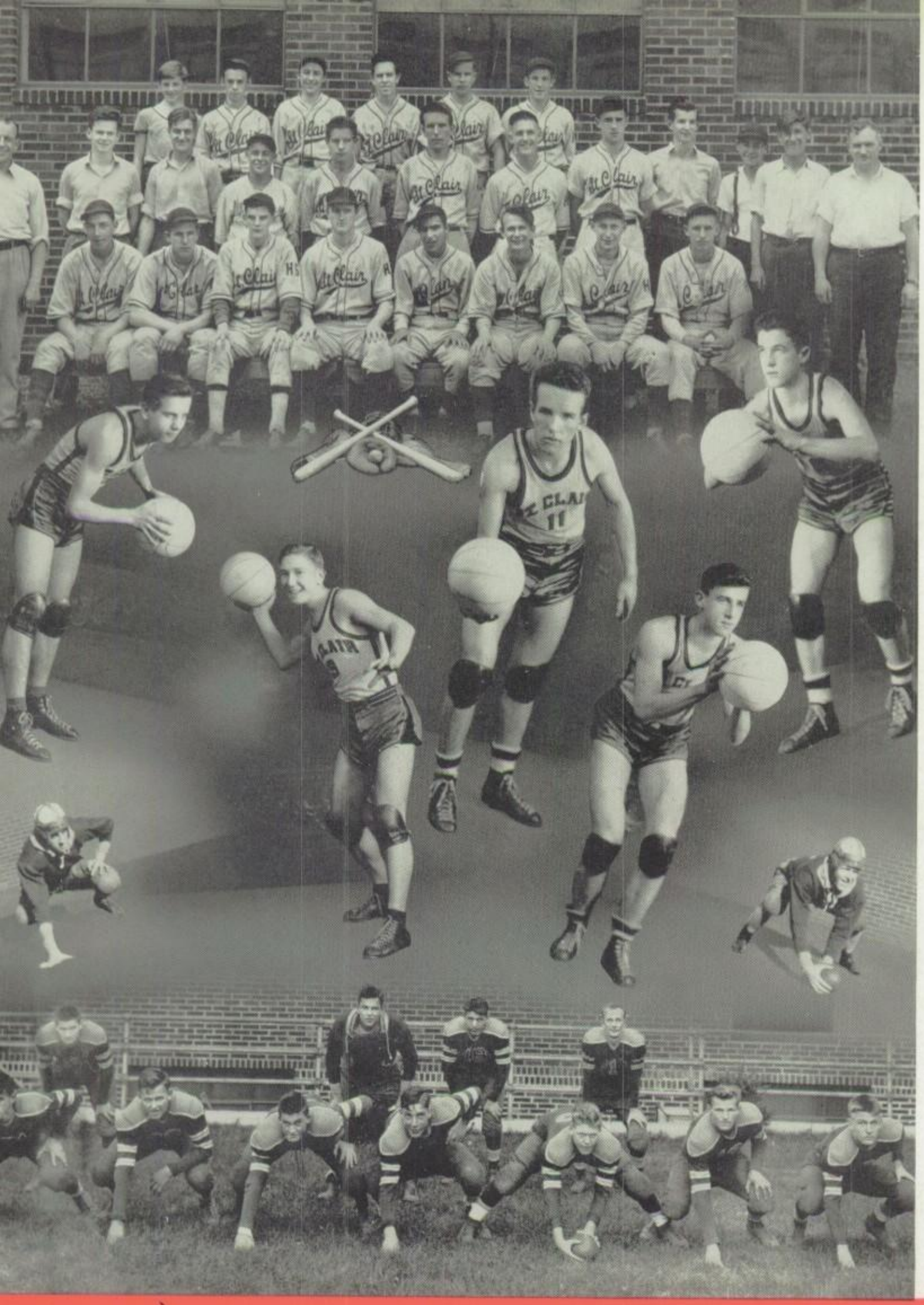
May 29—Class Night

May 30—Memorial Day

May 31—Eighth Grade Commencement

June 2—Baccalaureate

June 3—High School Commencement



The Athletics

FROM athletics, cooperation, character, leadership, and fair play, are learned. Cooperation is vitally important in school and throughout life. Fair play and leadership ultimately belong together making character which is the greatest and most lasting effect of team work.

VARSITY FOOTBALL

Back Row: John Snitzer, Stanley Wabby, John Washuta, Andrew Stempien. *Front Row:* John Melkonich, Leo Halkovich, Robert Shumskis, Robert Gracely, John Brown, William Chermanski.

FOOTBALL TEAM

Back Row: John Dresh, Joe Wylotta, Robert Shumskis, Joe Warner, Stanley Wabby, Alex Demenovich, John Snitzer, John Beritski. *Middle Row:* Austin Scandibar, Assistant Manager; Mike Draovich, Manager; Michael Kerrick, William McGonigle, Jack Boyd, Joe Mick, John Washuta, Mike Kustan, Assistant Manager; M. Stranko, Coach. *Front Row:* Andrew Kalyan, Robert Gracely, John Brown, John Melkonich, Andrew Stempien, Captain; Leo Halkovich, Harry Shaffer, William Chermanski, Herman Chattin.

Football

IRON MEN OF GRIDIRON GO INTO ACTION

THE results of this season's performance of the football team have been somewhat discouraging. Although the team didn't reach our expectations or the standards of past grid teams it turned in some remarkable performances. The team had a fine beginning but it suffered disastrous defeats due to the lack of weight, of numbers, of experience, and the loss of valuable players through injuries. The team however broke a precedent of past teams by beating Ashland, the first time an Ashland team was defeated by a Saint Clair eleven. However, fortune wasn't its lot, and this was its only victory in contrast to its seven defeats.

Michael Stranko
Coach

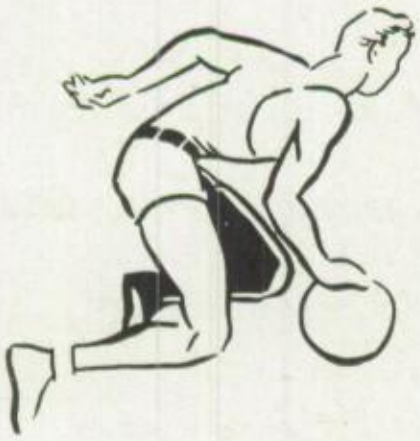
The wonderful work which was displayed at Minersville and Shenandoah was remarkable, in spite of the fact of so many injuries. We wish to congratulate our boys for the fine sportmanship which they showed. Even though they did lose, all their many losses were overshadowed by the fine spirit with which they played.

Some of our most outstanding players of the season were Stempien, Washuta, Gracely, Warner, Shumskus, Wabby, and Beritski.

As a whole, all the games in which the "Saints" participated were characterized by excellent sportsmanship. They were stubborn on defense before yielding to a superior team. Even though some of the players will be lost through graduation, the prospects for next season's team are very promising, and we the graduating class of 1940 extend our best wishes for a most successful year.

FOOTBALL SCORES

S. C. H.	0	Pottsville	13
S. C. H.	0	Minersville	13
S. C. H.	0	Shenandoah	45
S. C. H.	6	Ashland	0
S. C. H.	0	Schuylkill Haven	18
S. C. H.	0	Summit Hill	20
S. C. H.	0	Frackville	0
S. C. H.	0	Nesquehoning	6



Basketball

MEN OF HARDWOOD FLOOR SCORE HIT

VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM

Back Row: Dodds, Assistant Manager; Gately, Wapinsky, Melkonich, Kormash, Hinchey, Mr. Sterner, Coach. *Front Row:* Uller, Grace, Boyd, Elenchin, Mihalick, Premich, Wylotta, Williams, Manager.

JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL

Back Row: Juba, Bolino, Skubish, Wolff, Kustan, Larish, Kurtz, Mr. Welker, Coach. *Front Row:* Slepecky, Kelly, Egan, Mihalick, Kerrick, Putsavage, Kralick. *Foreground:* Haluska, Gregory.

BASKETBALL HIGHLIGHTS

1. The extra period defeat by Frackville 38-36 with Boyd's long shot tying the score with 2 seconds to play.
2. The 46-34 victory over Mahanoy Township.
3. The 25-24 victory over Schuylkill Haven on Elenchin's foul.
4. The outstanding floor game and scoring of Kormash and Gately in the one point defeat at Gilberton.
5. The 30-28 victory at Mahanoy Township on Captain Elenchin's field goal.
6. The 46-30 victory at Girardville after using seventeen players.
7. The 29-28 victory over the Alumni.

SAINT CLAIR HIGH SCHOOL VARSITY BASKETBALL 1939-40

	Games	Quarters	Class	Position	Points		
					Field Goals	Foul Goals	Total
Boyd, Jack	20	56	Junior	Guard	8	3	19
Eagan, Arch	1	1	Soph.	Center	0	0	0
Elenchin, John	22	81	Senior	Forward	49	38	136
Gately, Francis	22	86	Senior	Guard	20	18	58
Grace, William	11	21	Junior	Guard	0	0	0
Hinchey, Ray	23	79	Junior	Forward	43	17	103
Kelley, Leo	6	6	Junior	Forward	0	0	0
Kormash, Joseph	23	87	Senior	Guard	29	15	73
Krolic, John	2	2	Soph.	Forward	0	0	0
Maholic, Jos.	9	13	Soph.	Guard	1	2	4
Melkonich, John	19	71	Senior	Center	82	34	198
Premich, Michael	18	69	Junior	Forward	40	16	96
Putsavage, Victor	2	3	Soph.	Center	1	0	2
Stashio, John	3	4	Junior	Guard	0	0	0
Uller, George	12	30	Junior	Forward	8	6	22
Wapinsky, Stanley	18	46	Senior	Guard	4	3	11
Whittaker, Edward	8	12	Junior	Forward	1	2	4
Wolf, Fred	1	1	Fresh.	Center	0	0	0
Wylotta, Joseph	21	58	Junior	Center	9	6	24
				Totals	295	160	750

Opponents Total Scores 727

JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL TEAM

Back Row: F. Haluska, Manager; W. Haslem, Sinisky, A. Sterner, Coach; W. Wolf, J. Mocha, T. Gregory, Manager. *Middle Row:* Michael Boulino, Joseph Larish, Vincent Skubish, Russavage, Steve Kustan, Jack Cannaro, Joseph Curry. *Front Row:* John Wylotta, Goodman, Andrew Premich.

BASEBALL TEAM

Back Row: Mike Kurtz, Ray Hinchey, Ed Whitaker, Bill Grace, Stanley Stefansky, Francis Gately. *Middle Row:* W. R. Super, Coach; McGonigle, Manager; Turolis, Manager; Andy Kalyan, John Elenchin, Joe Kormash, Herm Chattin, John Melkonich, Havron, Senior Manager; Kustan, Manager; Draovitch, Manager; John Reese, Coach. *Front Row:* Bob Gracely, Joe Sweat, Jim Tierney, Bill McCarthy, Sam Leone, Andy Stempien, Phil Mocha, Steve Tirola.

BASEBALL SCORES

Minersville	3 x	S. C. H.	11
Ashland	6 x	S. C. H.	15
Gilberton	6 x	S. C. H.	10
Frackville	7 x	S. C. H.	8
Mahanoy Twp. .	4 x	S. C. H.	21
Orwigsburg	8 x	S. C. H.	13
Blythe Twp. ...	14	S. C. H.	10
Minersville	6 x	S. C. H.	13
Ashland	5 x	S. C. H.	12
Gilberton	3 x	S. C. H.	2
Frackville	1 x	S C. H.	5
Mahanoy Twp. .	0 x	S. C. H.	10
Orwigsburg ...	4 x	S. C. H.	17
Port Carbon ...	5	S. C. H.	17
Porter Twp. ...	2 xx	S C. H.	5
Nesquehoning ..	8 xx	S. C. H.	21
Bethlehem	10 xx	S. C. H.	0

x-League game.
xx-Playoff game.

Baseball

DIAMOND MEN PLAY IMPORTANT PART IN SPORTS

LEAGUE Champions, County Champions, and District Finalists is the proud boast of the 1939 baseball edition. Sailing through the league with but one loss, beating Porter High for the County Championship, trimming Nesquehoning in district elimination, and finally bowing to Bethlehem in the finals gave Saint Clair its finest record to date. We have five pennants and in the sixth year we lost the play-off game to finish second. This year's team upheld that proud reputation and added laurels for future teams to aspire to.

In a season of highlights the no-hit no-run masterpiece hurled by Johnny Elenchin on May 23 versus East Mahanoy Twp. stands out. Only one man reached first base, that by a base on balls, only to be picked off by Elenchin ten seconds later.

The loss of seven men from a Championship Club usually means disaster, but supporters are sure that the remaining lettermen will aid Captain Elenchin in matching the Champions' performance that put the cup in our trophy case. Stempien, McCarthy, Mocha, Tirola, Gracely, Tierney and Leone have departed, but their great record should inspire next year's team to greater heights. At any rate the Clairian views the coming season with keen confidence.

Lucking a lot of success to one of my pals.
Kape Charlie is at your side at all times. "Dimples"

CHEER LEADERS

Back Row: Joan Conlen, Frances Jacobs, Anna Mae Anderson. *Front Row:* Mary Melnic, Helen Melnic.

Cheerleaders

HIP! HIP! HURRAH! Here come the cheerleaders of Saint Clair High, bringing their pep and vitality with them.

This cooperative group has done much to bring about surprising results at all our games. We admire their loyalty and school spirit, and the enjoyment we receive from their yells and cheers. Even our pep meetings have reached a new height due to the work of these charming girls.

The ever to be remembered basketball game of Frackville and Saint Clair, will always remind us of the big part the cheerleaders played in leading the boys to that wonderful score.

We marvel at their enthusiasm and vitality. This group has proven to be a prominent and successful one, due to the supervision of Miss Ray. The cheerleaders of Saint Clair High can not be equaled.

ALMA MATER

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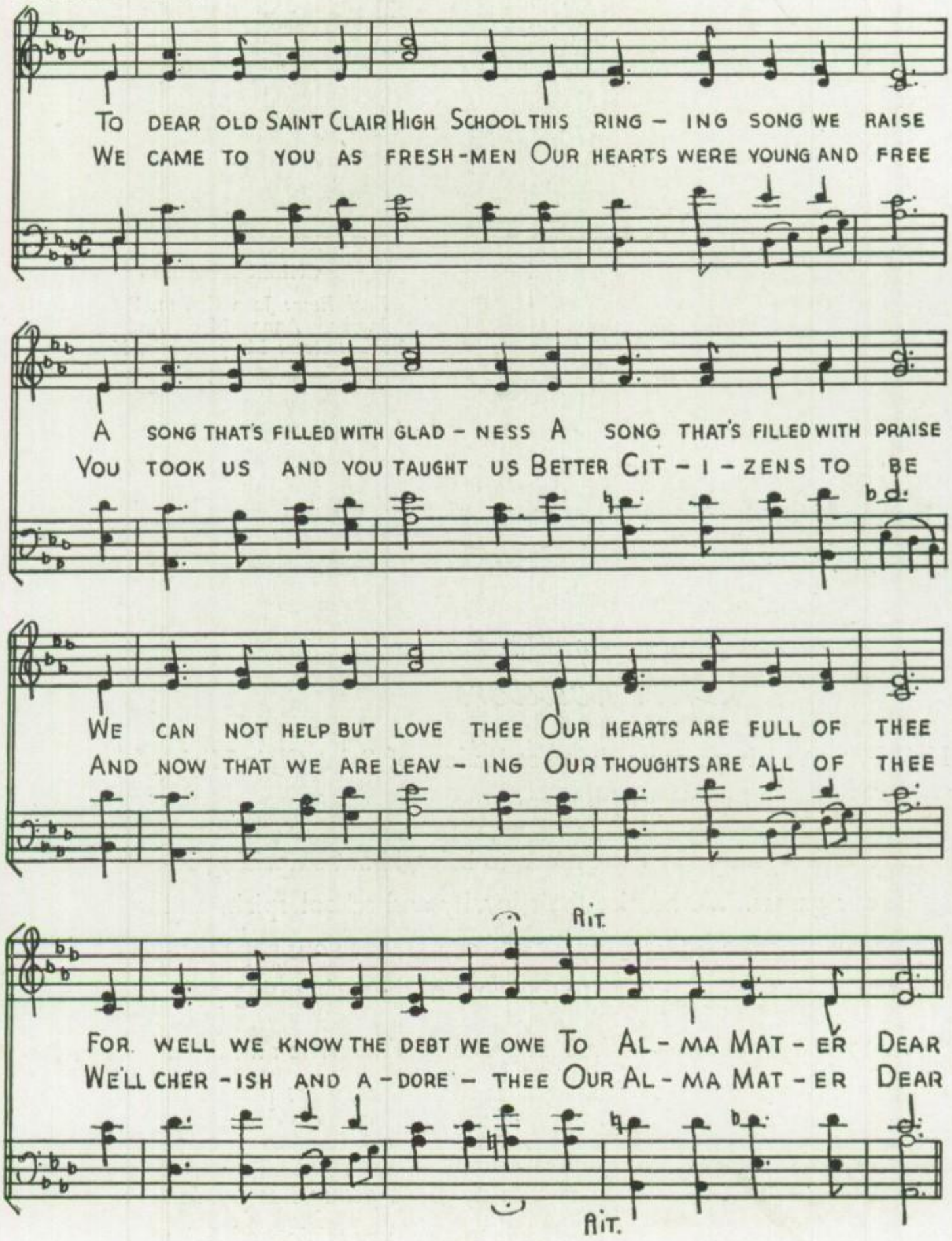
APOLOGIES TO E.A.S.


TO DEAR OLD SAINT CLAIR HIGH SCHOOL THIS RING - ING SONG WE RAISE
WE CAME TO YOU AS FRESH-MEN OUR HEARTS WERE YOUNG AND FREE
A SONG THAT'S FILLED WITH GLAD - NESS A SONG THAT'S FILLED WITH PRAISE
YOU TOOK US AND YOU TAUGHT US BETTER CIT - I - ZENS TO BE
WE CAN NOT HELP BUT LOVE THEE OUR HEARTS ARE FULL OF THEE
AND NOW THAT WE ARE LEAV - ING OUR THOUGHTS ARE ALL OF THEE
RIT.
FOR WELL WE KNOW THE DEBT WE OWE TO AL - MA MAT - ER DEAR
WE'LL CHER - ISH AND A - DORE - THEE OUR AL - MA MAT - ER DEAR
RIT.

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Clairian Staff

BUSY GROUP DOES FINE JOB OF EDITING

THE Business Staff and the Literary Staff of the 1940 Clairian have been a splendid example of student cooperation. Their combined efforts have put forth what we hope is the best year book ever sponsored by a Saint Clair High School Senior Class.

We hope that in the years to come this Clairian, the product of their efforts, will help us call to mind our experiences in the Saint Clair High School. If it helps us remember our pleasant friendships of high school days, the Clairian Staff will have achieved its goal.

Our editors based the theme of our book on Democracy, hoping that it impresses upon our minds the important part that the world-conditions existing today will play in molding our characters. The character of its people determines the future of a nation.

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Keep up the good work. "mike"

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Student Council

STUDENT GOVERNMENT POINTS TO EFFICIENCY

President	Michael Boris
Vice President	Isabelle Little

THE Student Council opened the term of 1939-40 with promises for one of the most active years in its history. Plans were made to hold at least one activity a month.

A Hallowe'en masquerade dance was the first social function, and its success encouraged us to sponsor several more dances. During the basketball season a refreshment stand was installed for the games.

The Student Council organized several activities during the second semester, the proceeds of which were to go toward purchasing an electric scoreboard for the gym.

The outstanding event of the year was our registration as a member of the Student Council Association of Pennsylvania. This enabled us to send a delegation to the State Convention of Student Councils which was held at Lancaster in late October.

Mary D. Thorn, B.Mus.
Director

GLEE CLUB

Back Row: Catherine Wolff, Anna Kominetz, Antoinette Spina, Jeanette Geimza, Dorothy Sofilka. *Second Row:* Eleanor Severlovych, Kathleen Monahan, Muriel Gray, Nell Stempien, Isabelle Little, Beatrice Garrity, Stella Putzikilo, Sue Tirola, Jean Thorn, Irene Knezo. *Third Row:* Ruth Heinbach, Ruth Botto, Laura Diehl, Natalie Nice, Betty Barnes, Anna Pushcarovitch, Helen Kotch, Virginia Weaver, Mary Thomas, Mary DiCero. *Fourth Row:* Elsie Frantz, Pearl Jones, Sylvia Mullin, Helen Melnic, Helen Panko, Mary Strencosky, Nettie Sell, Anna Friga, Elizabeth Powanda, Steffie Folta. *Fifth Row:* Janet Hale, Carol Rhoads, Helen Kovach, June McGuire, Helen Kurtz, Grace Bardarik, Eleanor Tomchany, Ethel Evans, Josephine Strencosky, Mary Garrity, Mildred Sincosky, Mary Mischon. *Sixth Row:* Evelyn Gorman, Mary Bumbak, Betty Chermansky, Bessie Bickelman, Alice Tipping, Miss Thorn, Instructress; Betty Huzway, Margaret Kalyan, Elenore Kotch, Olga Havron, Libby Rhoads.

Glee Club

TRAINING FOR GROUP SINGING

In October 1939, the call for candidates for the Girls' Glee Club was answered by a group of one hundred and fifty girls. Due to the process of elimination, sixty eligible girls were chosen to form the Glee Club.

After a year of idleness the Glee Club started on another year of work. This year the Club will be guided in its work by Miss Mary Thorn, our music supervisor.

During the term the girls are learning more about the appreciation of music and are studying three-part singing.

A concert is scheduled for the Spring and the girls are eager to make it a success. With the willing spirit the girls have taken toward it, and with the unfailing efforts of Miss Thorn, we are certain it will be successful.

Thomas L. Jennings, B.Mus.
Director

Music Groups

BAND AND ORCHESTRA OFFER FINE PROGRAMS DURING YEAR

ONE of the most outstanding features of our school is our band and orchestra. Organized in 1935, they have made splendid progress and are on equal footing with bands that have been organized years before. The members are picked from the grade schools and are taught by the music instructor, Mr. Thomas Jennings. The band and orchestra have been very active this year, considering the program they have filled.

Back Row: Fred Wolff, John Takarick, Mary Powell, Steve Kovack, Allan Crawshaw, Jean Wagner, Peter Kovach, Gavitt Gould, David Buchanan. *Third Row:* Daniel Bardarick, Peter Kounas, Billy Wolff, Ethel Evans, Richard Petritis, Libby Rhoads, Joseph Mocha, Virginia Klemer, Michael Melnic, Jacob Tkackyk, James Mansell. *Second Row:* Margaret Strencosky, Alger Reese, Robert Lawless, Anna Mary Jacoby, Pauline Cheripka, Catherine Wolff, Jean Di Lisio, Vincent Klemer. *First Row:* George Setlock, Paul Kostrey, John Kiapes, William Dashifsky, T. L. Jennings, Director; Dean Gould, Drum Major; Harry Montgomery, Robert Weinus, Albert Kazlauskas, James Reichley.

Many times in the past year they have performed for various organizations of our community and have entertained audiences at football and basketball games.

They have been recognized out of town also. Last year they accepted an invitation to perform at the dedicatory services at Pottsville's new stadium.

Memorial Day services were made more impressive because of the patriotic music our band selected in honor of our war dead.

Our band also performed their duty during the Christmas season by playing hymns and Christmas songs at the services held around the Community tree.

Back Row: Albert Kazlauskas, Paul Kostrey, Peter Kaunas, Jacob Tkackyk, John Zamecnik. *Middle Row:* Pauline Cheripka, Libby Rhoads, Jean Di Lisio, Mary Powell, Virginia Klemer, Ethel Evans. *Front Row:* Jean Marie Arnout, John Kiapes, David Buchanan, T. L. Jennings, Director; Gavitt Gould, Andrew Sninsky, Catherine Toner.

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OFFICERS

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Vice President	Jerussel Resavage
Secretary	John Jalonski
Treasurer	Betty Bobber

THE Business Training Club of 1939-40 got off to a hilarious start at a peppy initiation and enjoyable party held at Wolf Creek.

The social and business activities of the Club have been curtailed to a great extent because of the omission of an "activities period" in the school program. It is the hope and sincere desire of both students and teachers that within the very near future the teaching staff and curriculum will be sufficiently enlarged to overcome this deficiency, and provide a program so necessary to a well-rounded school life.

Back Row: David Nolan, William Mickel, John Elenchin. *Second Row:* Andrew Timpko, Joseph Mick, Peter Vrabel, Herman Chattin, Michael Salata, Jack Boyd, Bobby Brady, John Haslam. *Third Row:* John Malenich, John Kiapes, Pat Kerns, George Timpko, Jack Williams, Ralph Dodds, Leo Kelly, Carl Adamcik, William Childs, John Kovach. *Fourth Row:* Stanley Stefanski, Ruth Heinbach, Edward Fitz, Joseph Kavolchyck, Kathleen Monahan, Francis Gately, Muriel Gray, Monroe Schneier, George Setlock, Walter Sincoskie. *Fifth Row:* Leo Halcovitch, Frances Stebnicki, Irene Kotubey, Anna Seiwell, Mary Sincosky, Eleanor Tomchany, Betty Yost, Ethel Evans, Russell Dashifsky, Paul Kostrey. *Sixth Row:* Joan Conlen, Dorothy Snyder, Anna Marie Smith, Catharine Reilly, Helen Kurtz, Kathryn Doyle, June McGuire, Isabelle Yankosky, Elizabeth Pluto, Elenore Kotch, Olga Havron.

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THE Alpha Delta Pi, the outgrowth of the Mathematics Club, was founded on October 27, 1932. This organization is an honorary mathematical fraternity with the object of stimulating interest in mathematics, providing an incentive for raising the standard of high school students, and promoting relations between them. Throughout its years of existence it has proven popular among the students, and has had a steady enrollment.

To be eligible for membership a student must be of junior standing and must have attained an average of 85% in mathematics. Those having done so are invited to join, and after being initiated, become full-pledged members.

Each year at graduation the Senior having the highest average in mathematics is given an award by the Alpha Delta Pi. The recipient of last year's award was George Kovich.

Mrs. Clarence Hagan, Mrs. James Place, Mrs. Lawrence Little, Miss Margaret C. Ray.

P. T. A.

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THE Parent-Teacher Association of Saint Clair organized for the 1939-40 term taking the subject of discussion "New Ways in a Changing World." The association was fortunate in securing for its leaders in this discussion the following: Mr. E. S. Bodenhorn, Reverend Charles Miller, Reverend Richard E. Owens, Mr. Francis Welker, Mr. Albert Alessi, Miss Edith Brown, and Mr. Charles R. Birch.

The association enriched the art program of the district by making available to the art supervisor and the classroom teachers paintings by famous artists.

The outstanding events of the year were the Hallowe'en Party and the Christmas Party. Under the able direction of the chairlady, Mrs. Claude Reich, these affairs afforded delightful entertainment for parents and guests. At the Christmas Party the association entertained more than four hundred children and parents.

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